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OUR PROPOSED NEW COINAGE

On June 3 the long awaited survey on American coinage and recommended changes were released to the public. Because this involves a new coinage system and a departure from the use of silver in most of our coins, we bring you the complete text of the President's message to Congress, the text of the bill and an analysis of the bill. — THE EDITOR

THE PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE

TO THE CONGRESS OF THE UNITED STATES:

From the early days of our independence the United States has used a system of coinage fully equal in quantity and in quality to all the tasks imposed upon it by the nation's commerce.

We are today using one of the few existing silver coinages in the world. Our coins, in fact, are little changed from those first established by the Mint Act of 1792. For 173 years, we have maintained a system of abundant coins that with the exception of pennies and nickels is nearly pure silver.

The long tradition of our silver coinage is one of the many marks of the extraordinary stability of our political and economic system.

Continuity, however, is not the only characteristic of a great nation's coinage. We should not hesitate to change our coinage to meet new and growing needs. I am, therefore, proposing certain changes in our coinage system—changes dictated by need—which will help Americans to carry out their daily transactions in the most efficient way possible.

There has been for some years a world-wide shortage of silver. The United States is not exempt from that shortage—and we will not be exempt as it worsens. Silver is becoming too scarce for continued large scale use in coins. To maintain unchanged our high silver coinage in the face of this stark reality would only invite a chronic and growing scarcity of coins.

We expect to use more than 300 million troy ounces—over 10 thousand tons—of silver for our coinage this year. That is far more than total new production of silver expected in the entire Free World this year. Although we have a large stock of silver on hand we cannot continue indefinitely to make coins of a high silver content—in the required quantity—in the face of such an imbalance in the production of silver and the demand for it.

We must take steps to maintain an adequate supply of coins, or face chaos in the myriad transactions of our daily life—from using pay telephones to parking in a metered zone to providing our children with money for lunch at school.

The legislation I am sending to the Congress with this message will ensure a stable and dignified coinage, fully adequate in quantity and in its specially designed technical characteristics to the needs of our twentieth century life. It can be maintained indefinitely, however much the demand for coin may grow.

Much as we all would prefer to retain the silver coins now in use, there is no practical alternative to a new coinage based on materials in adequate supply.

The New Coinage

I propose no change in either the penny or the nickel.

The new dime and the quarter—while remaining the same size and design as the present dime and quarter—will be composite coins. They will have faces of the same copper-nickel alloy used in our present five cent piece, bonded to a core of pure copper. The new dime and quarter will, therefore, outwardly resemble the nickel, except in size and design, but with the further distinction that their copper core will give them a copper edge.

This type of coin was selected because, alone among practical alternatives, it can be used together with our existing silver coins in the millions

of coin-operated devices that Americans now depend upon heavily for many kinds of food and other goods.

The Half Dollar

Our new half dollar will be nearly indistinguishable in appearance from the present half dollar.

It will continue to be made of silver and copper, but the silver content will be reduced from 90 percent to 40 percent. It will be faced with an alloy of 80 percent silver and 20 percent copper, bonded to a core of 21 percent silver and 79 percent copper. The new half dollar will continue to be minted with the image of President Kennedy. Its size will be unchanged.

The Silver Dollar

No change in this famous old coin, or plans for additional production, are proposed at this time. It is possible that implementation of the new coinage legislation that I am proposing, greatly reducing the requirement for silver in our subsidiary coinage, will actually make feasible the minting of additional silver dollars in the future. Certainly, without this change in the silver content of the subsidiary coinage, further minting of the silver dollar would be forever foreclosed.

It is our intention that the new coinage circulate side-by-side with our existing coinage. We plan to continue the minting of our current silver coins while the new coinage is brought into quantity production.

The new coins will be placed in circulation some time in 1966.

In terms of the present pattern of coin usage, adoption of the new coinage will permit a saving of some 90 percent of the silver we are now putting into coins annually.

I want to make it absolutely clear that these changes in our coinage will have no effect on the purchasing power of our coins. The new ones will be exchanged at full face value for the paper currency of the United States. They will be accepted by the treasury and by the federal reserve banks for any of the financial obligations of the United States. The legislation I am proposing expressly recognizes the new coins as legal tender.

It is of primary importance, of course, that our new coins be specifically designed to serve our modern, technological society. In the early days of the Republic, silver coins served well because the value of a coin could only be measured by the value of the precious metal it contained in it. For many decades now the value of a particular coin has depended not on the value of the metal in it, but on the face value of the coin. Today's coinage must primarily be utilitarian. The new coinage will meet this requirement fully, while dispensing with the idea that it contain precious metal.

It is, above all, practical. It has been specifically designed to function, without causing delays or disruptions of service, in coin-operated merchandising machines.

Futhermore, it is composed of materials low enough in value and readily enough available to insure that we can have as many coins as we need.

Other Authority Requested

The legislation I am proposing also contains these additional recommendations:

First — As a useful precautionary measure, I request stand-by authority to institute controls over the melting and export of coins to assist the protection of our existing and our new silver coinage.

Second — I request authority to purchase domestically mined silver at not less than \$1.25 per ounce.

Third — I am asking for authority to reactivate minting operations temporarily at the San Francisco assay office.

Fourth — As a safeguard for assured availability of the new coinage,

I am asking for new contracting authority for the procurement of materials and facilities related to it.

Fifth—I propose the establishment of a joint commission on the coinage, composed of certain members of the Congress, the public and the executive branch of the government, to report to me later the progress made in the installation of the new coinage and to review any new technological developments and to suggest any further modifications which may be needed.

Why the Silver Content of the Coinage Must Be Reduced at This Session

These recommendations for revision of our silver coinage rest upon extensive study of the silver situation, and of alternatives to our present coinage, by both governmental and private specialists. The treasury department's comprehensive report, known as the *Treasury Staff Silver and Coinage Study*, is being released today as background to my recommendations. Its principal finding was that the supply of silver in the Free World has become progressively incompatible with the maintenance of silver in all our subsidiary coins.

On the average, in the five years from 1949 through 1953, new silver production in the Free World amounted to about 175 million troy ounces per year, while consumption amounted to more than 235 million ounces. There was an average deficit in those five postwar years of more than 60 million ounces of silver per year.

In the latest complete five years, 1960 through 1964, Free World consumption of silver has averaged 410 million ounces annually, but new production has averaged a little less than 210 million ounces a year. The result has been an average annual deficit of about 200 million ounces. That is three times the average annual deficit in the five years from 1949 through 1953.

If no silver at all had been used for coinage there would have been a deficit in new production in Free World silver during the last five years averaging over 40 million troy ounces, or some 1,370 tons, a year.

The gap between the production of silver and silver consumption is continuing to increase. In 1964 the silver production deficit swelled to over 300 million ounces—half again the 1963 figure. And in 1964, the use of silver in coinage, and the use of silver for the arts and industry of the Free World were each—taken separately—greater than new production.

There is no dependable or likely prospect that new, economically workable sources of silver may be found that could appreciably narrow the gap between silver supply and demand. The optimistic outlook is for an increase in production of about 20 percent over the next four years. This would be of little help. Further, because silver is produced chiefly as a by-product of the mining of copper, lead and zinc, even a very large increase in the price of silver would not stimulate silver production sufficiently to change the outlook.

Short of controls that are undesirable in a peacetime free society, there is no way to diminish the bounding growth of private demand for silver for use in jewelry, silverware, photographic film and industrial processes. The one part of the demand for silver that can be reduced is governmental demand for use in coinage.

Most Free World countries no longer use silver in their coins. A few—as we now propose—continue to make limited use of it. It is true that United States coinage does not currently depend upon new silver production, because for many years we have supplied silver for our coinage out of large Treasury stocks, which still amount to one billion troy ounces.

But—and this is the crux of the matter—at the present pace, this stock cannot last even as much as three years. We would then be shorn of our ability to maintain the coinage, and, if there were no alternative to our

present silver coinage, the nation would be faced with a chronic coin shortage. That is why definitive action is necessary at this session of the Congress.

Protection of the Coinage

It is necessary for the United States government to have large stocks of silver in addition to the quantity needed for coinage.

We need these stocks because our silver coins in circulation must be protected from hoarding or destruction. Protection of the silver coinage will continue to be a necessity since we plan for it to continue to circulate alongside the new coins. Our silver coins are protected by the fact that the government stands ready to sell silver bullion from its stocks at \$1.29 a troy ounce. This keeps the price of silver, as a commodity, from rising above the face value of our coins. This, in turn, makes hoarding or melting of the silver coinage unprofitable.

It is as additional protection for the existing coinage that I am requesting standby authority to institute controls over the melting, treating or export of United States coins.

It may be asked why we seek standby control authority since we retain a large stock of silver with which to protect our silver coins through operations in the silver market.

The answer is clear. Given the magnitudes by which demand for silver is outrunning new production, we must consider the possibility, however unlikely, that the silver stock we possess could itself require the support and protection that would be afforded by authority to forbid melting and export of our coins.

We believe our present stocks of silver to be adequate, once the large present drains from coinage are greatly reduced, to meet any foreseeable requirements for an indefinite period. However, prompt action on a new coinage will help us protect the silver coinage by freeing our silver reserves for redemption of silver certificates at \$1.29 per ounce. Thus, we can assure that no incentive will be created for hoarding our present coins in anticipation of a higher price for their silver content.

There is the opposite, although in all likelihood short run, possibility that a fall in the price of silver might result from the enactment of this legislation largely removing silver from our subsidiary coin. It is for the purpose of protecting silver producers from a precipitate drop in the price of silver resulting from the action of the government that I am requesting authority for the secretary of the treasury to purchase any newly mined domestic silver offered to him, at the price of \$1.25 per troy ounce.

The San Francisco Assay Office

Coinage operations at the San Francisco mint were ended in 1955. Legislation converting the mint to the San Francisco assay office was passed in 1962. As part of our efforts to overcome the coin shortage of the past year, coin blanks have been cut and annealed at the San Francisco assay office. Present law forbids full minting there. However, we will temporarily need the facilities of this plant to move into large quantity production of the new coinage and to continue production of existing coins until enough new small money is made to make certain we have adequate supplies. Consequently, I am asking for authority to reactivate minting operations at San Francisco on a temporary basis.

A new, fully modern mint is to be built in Philadelphia. However, it cannot be completed and in operation before late 1967. It is our expectation that when the new Philadelphia mint's capacity is added to that of the Denver mint, our coinage requirements can be met efficiently and economically. Consequently, no more than temporary authority to mint coins in San Francisco is recommended in the draft legislation I am sending to you.

Why Composite Coins Are Recommended

We have no choice but to eliminate silver, for the most part, from our subsidiary coinage. The question was: What would be the best alternative? After very thorough consideration of all aspects of this highly complex problem, we have settled upon the two types of composite, or clad, coins I have already described. These are 10 cent and 25 cent pieces with cupro-nickel alloy faces bonded to a solid copper core, and a new half dollar with outer and inner layers of differing silver-copper alloys.

This type of coin was found to be necessary if the new coinage is to be compatible with the existing silver coinage in all the 12 million coin operated devices in use in the United States.

The convenience of using coins in automatic merchandising and service devices is a fact that, like the coins in our pockets and in our store tills, we take for granted. But if our coinage were suddenly to be such that it would not work in coin-operated devices, the public would be subjected to very great inconvenience and serious losses would occur to business with harmful effects upon employment.

The automatic merchandising industry is a large and growing part of our national economy. Last year, \$3½ billion worth of consumer items were sold through 3½ million of these machines. On more than 30 billion separate occasions a consumer made a purchase by putting a coin in a machine. In growing numbers, factories, hospitals and other places now depend upon automatic vending for the service of goods. A million and a half people now rely upon coin controlled vending for at least one meal a day. The use of coin operated devices is expanding rapidly, not only in merchandising vending, but also in a number of other services.

Six million of our coin-operated devices, including nearly all vending machines, have selectors set to reject coins or imitations of coins that do not have the electrical properties of our existing silver money. Highly selective rejectors are a necessity in these machines if they are to be a low-cost source of food and other goods and services. Otherwise, fraudulent use would soon make them costly.

The sensors in these machines are set to accept or reject coins on the basis of the electrical properties of our traditional coins, which have a high proportion of silver. To be compatible in operation with our existing coinage, therefore, our new coins must duplicate the electrical properties of a coin that is 90 percent silver. No single acceptable metal or alloy does so. The composite coins, made of layers of differing metals and alloys, that I am asking the Congress to approve, are coins made to order to duplicate the electrical properties of coins with a high silver content. They are the only practical alternatives we have discovered to our present coinage.

Selectors exist that can handle coins with the widely varying electrical properties of, say, nearly pure silver and nearly pure nickel. But that is not enough. When the selectors are set to accept coins with greatly differing electrical properties, the selectivity of the mechanism declines and they will accept wrong coins and imitations. Unless the coins in use have very similar electrical properties, the coin-operated machines become subject to a high degree of fraudulent use. This would be costly to all concerned.

The future may bring selectors of a different kind able to accept coins of widely varying electrical properties while at the same time rejecting imitations and wrong coins. They are not available now. When and if they become available, our new coinage will work in them. On the other hand, if we now choose an incompatible coinage, there would be delays and interruptions lasting a year to three years in the services of these machines. This would impose heavy inconveniences upon the public and would cause business and employment losses in a large and growing industry.

In view of these considerations of public interest, we have concluded that our new coinage must without fail be able to carry out the technical mer-

chandising functions of a modern coinage, working alongside our existing silver coinage. The new coins that I am recommending to you do this, and do it well, because they were specifically designed for the task.

The new half dollar was designed with the strong desire in mind of many Americans to retain some silver in our every-day coinage. We believe that by eliminating silver from use in the dime and the quarter, we will have enough silver to carry out market operations in protection of our existing silver coinage — and to make a half dollar of 40 percent silver content. It is clear and unmistakable that we would not have enough silver to extend this to the dime and quarter: they are heavily used, indispensable coins that we must have at all times in large quantity. We are convinced that we can include a 40 percent silver half dollar in the new coinage, but we cannot safely go beyond that. As a precaution, we intend to concentrate at first on getting out large quantities of the new quarter and dime before we embark upon quantity production of the new half dollar.

The Joint Commission on the Coinage

We believe the recommendations being made for a new coinage are sound and durable and in the best public interest. However, the installation of a new coinage is a matter so intimately affecting the life of every citizen, and so delicately related to the nation's commerce, that it is impossible to be certain in advance that all problems have been foreseen, even by such a long and arduous process of research as has gone into the selection of the proposed new coins.

Consequently, I am including among my recommendations the proposal for a joint commission on the coinage. It will be composed of the four officers of the executive branch most directly concerned with matters affected by the coinage — the secretary of the treasury, the secretary of commerce, the director of the budget bureau and the director of the mint, of four members representing the public interest, to be appointed by the President; of the chairmen and ranking members of the banking and currency committees of the House and the Senate; of one member each from the two houses of the Congress, to be appointed by the Vice President and the Speaker of the House. The commission will be appointed soon after the new coinage is issued. It will study such matters as new technological developments, the supply of various metals, and the future of the silver dollar. It will report as to the time and circumstances in which the government should cease to maintain the price of silver. It will be directed to advise the President, the Congress and the secretary of the treasury on the results of its studies.

The Coinage — Current and Prospective

I am pleased to report to the Congress substantial progress toward overcoming the coin shortage the nation has been experiencing. Greatly increased minting has eliminated the shortage of pennies and of nickels. We are still somewhat on the short side of the demand for dimes and quarters, but this deficit is rapidly being overtaken. A severe shortage of the half dollar continues, due to the popularity of the new 50 cent pieces bearing the image of President Kennedy.

I want to emphasize that we will continue to make the existing coins while the new ones come into full production, and that we contemplate side-by-side circulation of the old and new coins for the indefinite future. There is no reason for hoarding the silver coinage we now use, because there is no reason for it to disappear.

We are gearing up for maximum production of the new coins as soon as they are authorized by the Congress. Supply of the materials for them is assured. Both copper and nickel are economical and available in North America. Their usage in coins will not add enough to overall employment of these metals to create supply or price problems.

In the first year after new coins are authorized, we expect to make 3½ billion pieces of the new subsidiary coins. That is a billion and a half more pieces than will be made of the corresponding silver coins in the current fiscal year.

In the second year after authorization of the new coinage, we expect to be able to double the first year's output of the new coins, reaching a production total of 7 billion pieces.

We expect in this way to avoid any new coin shortage in the transition to production of the new coins, and within a period of less than three years to reach a point at which we could if necessary meet total coinage needs out of production of the new coins.

I am satisfied that, taking into account all of the various factors involved in this complex problem, the recommendations that I am making to you are sound and right. Your early and favorable action upon the proposed legislation will make it possible to produce and issue to the public a coinage that will be acceptable, provide the maximum convenience, and serve all the purposes — financial and technical — of modern commerce. In considering this problem the needs of the economy and the convenience of the public have been placed ahead of all other considerations. They are the factors that have resulted in my recommendations to the Congress. I urge their approval at the earliest possible date.

—LYNDON B. JOHNSON

THE WHITE HOUSE
June 3, 1965

THE LEGISLATION REQUESTED

A BILL

To provide for the coinage of the United States

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That this act may be cited as "The Coinage Act of 1965."

Title I

Section 1. (a) The secretary of the treasury is authorized to cause to be minted and issued the following coins:

- (1) A half dollar or fifty cent piece which shall be composed of an alloy of 800 parts of silver and 200 parts of copper per each one thousand parts by weight clad on a core of a silver-copper alloy of such fineness that the composition of each coin shall be 400 parts of silver and 600 parts of copper out of each 1000 parts by weight.

- (2) A quarter dollar or twenty-five cent piece and a dime or ten cent piece each of which shall be composed of an alloy of 75 percent of copper and 25 percent of nickel clad on a core of pure copper.

(b) The cladding alloy used for the outside layers of such coins shall comprise not less than 30 percent of the weight of each coin. Such coins shall be of the same diameter, respectively, as the coins of the United States of corresponding denominations current at the time of enactment of this act.

(c) The weight of the half dollar provided for herein shall be 11.50 grams, of the quarter dollar 5.67 grams and of the dime 2.268 grams.

Section 2. Subject to the requirements of section 1, the methods of manufacture of the coins therein provided, the wastage allowances, and the allowable deviations in the metallic percentages and weights, shall be as determined by the secretary of the treasury. Such coins shall be subject to the laws pertaining to the designs and inscriptions on coins of the United States.

Section 3. All coins minted pursuant to the provisions of this act shall be legal tender for all debts, public and private, public charges, taxes, duties and dues.

Section 4. Nothing herein contained shall be deemed to prohibit the continued minting of coins of the United States authorized by law at the time of enactment of this act.

Section 5. Whenever in the judgment of the secretary of the treasury such action is necessary to protect the coinage of the United States, he is authorized under such rules and regulations as he may prescribe to prohibit the exportation, melting or treating of coins of the United States.

Section 6. The secretary of the treasury is authorized to sell on such terms and conditions as he may deem appropriate, at not less than the monetary value thereof, any silver of the United States in excess of that required to be held as reserves against silver certificates.

Section 7. The secretary of the treasury is authorized and directed to purchase at the price of \$1.25 per fine troy ounce silver mined after the date of enactment of this act from natural deposits in the United States or any place subject to the jurisdiction thereof and tendered to a United States mint or assay office within one year after the month in which the ore from which it is derived was mined. The bullion fund provided by section 3526 of the Revised Statutes, as amended, (31 U.S.C. 335) may be used for such purchases.

Section 8. In order to expedite acquisition of essential equipment, patents, patent rights, technical knowledge and assistance, metallic strip and other materials necessary to assure the prompt and continued availability of materials required to produce an adequate supply of the coins provided for herein, the secretary of the treasury, during such period as he may deem necessary, is authorized, without regard to the provisions of section 3528 of the Revised Statutes, as amended (31 U.S.C. 340), or any other law, to enter into contracts upon such terms and conditions as he may deem appropriate and in the public interest, for the acquisition or transportation of such equipment, patents, patent rights, technical knowledge and assistance, metallic strip, or other materials.

Section 9. (a) The Act of September 3, 1964, P.L. 88-580, is amended to read as follows:

"Notwithstanding section 3517 of the Revised Statutes (31 U.S.C. 324), all coins minted from the date of enactment of this act shall be inscribed with the year of the coinage or issuance unless in the judgment of the secretary of the treasury such inscription is likely to contribute to a shortage of coins, in which case the particular coins involved may be inscribed with the last preceding year whose date has been inscribed on coins of the same denominations."

(b) Section 3550 of the Revised Statutes (31 U.S.C. 366) is repealed.

Section 10. The first sentence of section 3558 of the Revised Statutes, as amended (31 U.S.C. 283), is amended to read as follows:

"The business of the United States assay office in San Francisco shall be in all respects similar to that of the assay office of New York except that until such time as the secretary of the treasury determines that the mints of the United States are adequate for the production of ample supplies of coins, its facilities may be used for the production of any coins of the United States authorized by law."

Section 11. Section 4 of the Act of August 20, 1963 (31 U.S.C. 294) is amended by striking out "\$30,000,000" and inserting in lieu thereof "\$45,000,000."

Section 12. Section 3 of the Act of December 18, 1942 (31 U.S.C. 317c) is amended by striking out "minor" each place it appears in such section. Section 9 of the Act of March 14, 1900 (31 U.S.C. 320) is hereby repealed.

Section 13. Section 3528 of the Revised Statutes, as amended (31 U.S.C. 340), is amended (1) by striking out "this act," in the first sentence and inserting in lieu thereof "law,,"; (2) by striking out "minor" each place it appears in such section; and (3) by striking out "\$3,000,000" and inserting in lieu thereof "\$30,000,000."

Section 14. Section 485 of the Act of June 25, 1948 (18 U.S.C. 485) is amended by striking out "the gold or silver coins" and inserting in lieu thereof "gold, silver, silver-clad, or cupronickel-clad coins."

Section 15. The secretary of the treasury is authorized to issue such regulations as he may deem necessary to carry out the provisions of this act.

Section 16. Whoever knowingly violates any of the provisions of section 5 hereof or of any order, rule, regulation or license issued pursuant thereto shall, upon conviction, be fined not more than \$10,000 or imprisoned not more than five years, or both. In addition, there shall be forfeited to the United States any coins exported, melted, or treated in violation of this act or any order, rule, regulation or license issued hereunder, or any metal resulting from such melting or treating of coins. Such coins or metal may be seized and condemned by like proceedings as those provided by law for the forfeiture, seizure or condemnation of property imported into the United States contrary to law.

TITLE II

Section 1. The President is hereby authorized to establish a joint commission on the coinage to be composed of the secretary of the treasury as chairman; the secretary of commerce; the director of the bureau of the budget; the director of the mint; the chairman and ranking minority member of the Senate banking and currency committee; the chairman and ranking minority member of the House banking and currency committee; one member of the House of Representatives to be appointed by the Speaker; one member of the Senate to be appointed by the President of the Senate; and four public members to be appointed by the President, none of whom shall be associated or identified with or representative of any industry, group, business or association directly interested as such in the composition, characteristics, or production of the coinage of the United States.

Section 2. No public official or member of Congress serving as a member of the joint commission shall continue to serve as such after he has ceased to hold the office by virtue of which he became a member of the joint commission. Any vacancy on the joint commission shall be filled by the choosing of a successor member in the same manner as his predecessor.

Section 3. The joint commission shall study the progress made in the implementation of the coinage program established by this act, and shall review from time to time such matters as the needs of the economy for coins, the standards for the coinage, technological developments in metallurgy and coin-selector devices, the availability of various metals, renewed minting of the silver dollar, the time when and circumstances under which the United States should cease to maintain the price of silver, and other considerations relevant to the maintenance of an adequate and stable coinage system. It shall, from time to time, give its advice and recommendations with respect to these matters to the President, the secretary of the treasury, and the Congress.

Section 4. There are authorized to be appropriated to remain available until expended, such amounts as may be necessary to carry out the purposes of this title.

SECTION-BY-SECTION ANALYSIS OF THE BILL

TITLE I

Section 1 authorizes the minting and issuance of a new series of coins in denominations of 10, 25 and 50 cents which will be manufactured from composite metals containing three layers. In the case of the 50 cent piece, the outside or cladding layers would be composed of an alloy of 80 percent silver and 20 percent copper and the core of a silver-copper alloy of such fineness that the overall composition of each coin would be 40 percent silver and 60 percent copper. The 10 and 25 cent coins would consist of cupro-nickel (75 percent copper, 25 percent nickel) clad on a core of pure copper. Section 1 also prescribes the proportionate amounts of core and cladding alloys in the

coins, the weight of each coin and that such coins are to be of the same diameter as the current coins of the United States of corresponding denominations.

Section 2 authorizes the secretary of the treasury to determine the methods of manufacture of the new coins, the wastage allowances, and the allowable deviations in the metallic percentages and weights. It provides also that such coins shall be subject to existing laws pertaining to the designs and inscriptions on U. S. coins.

Section 3 provides that the coins shall be legal tender. While existing statutes governing legal tender are broad enough to cover the new coins, an express provision in the new bill is deemed desirable to eliminate any possible doubt.

Section 4 provides continuing authority for the coinage of coins authorized by provisions of existing law. This will enable the continued production of present coinage to the extent necessary to assure the production of ample supplies of coins during the period of transition to the new coinage.

Section 5 gives standby authority to the secretary of the treasury to prohibit the exportation, melting or treating of U. S. coins when necessary to protect the coinage.

Section 6 provides for sales by the treasury of silver in excess of that required to be held against silver certificates at prices not less than the monetary value. This will clarify the authority of the treasury to make sales of such excess silver under appropriate conditions.

Section 7 authorizes the purchase of newly mined domestic silver by the treasury at the price of \$1.25 per fine troy ounce. This will protect silver producing industries against any precipitate drop in the price of their product which might result from the change in U. S. coinage alloy. Silver purchased under this provision can be used in coinage at values not less than \$1.29+ per fine troy ounce. Section 7 also authorizes the use of the bullion fund for the purchase of silver.

Section 8 authorizes the secretary, for as long as he deems it necessary, to procure, on terms deemed appropriate and in the public interest, any materials, technical knowledge and assistance, equipment, patents, transportation services, etc., necessary to assure prompt and continued availability of materials required for the new coinage without regard to any laws requiring advertising and competitive bidding or imposing other restrictions on the negotiation of contracts for the purchase of property by the government.

Section 9 directs that coins minted after enactment of this act shall bear the year of the coinage or issuance unless the secretary of the treasury determines that this is likely to contribute to a coin shortage. In this event, the particular coins involved may be inscribed with the last preceding year whose date appeared on coins of these denominations. This section would also repeal an obsolete provision of law requiring that the obverse working dies at each mint be destroyed at the end of each year.

Section 10 authorizes use of the San Francisco assay office for coinage on a temporary basis until such time as the secretary of the treasury determines that the facilities at the mints are adequate for the production of ample supplies of coins. It is anticipated that during the period of transition to the new coinage the mints' production load will be particularly heavy and additional facilities will be needed. Use of the San Francisco assay office is the most expeditious way of providing these. Section 10 also authorizes permanent use of the San Francisco assay office for refining gold and silver bullion. This will also contribute to the efficiency of operations at the mints and assay offices.

Section 11 increases the maximum amount authorized to be appropriated for the construction of the new mint at Philadelphia from \$30,000,000 to \$45,000,000. Additional funds will be necessary to provide equipment and facilities for the new coinage.

Section 12 will authorize and provide financing for the melting of any worn and uncurrent U. S. coins, including the new cupronickel-clad and silver-

clad coins, received in the treasury and the sale or recoinage of the resulting metals. The section also repeals an act which requires recoinage of all worn and uncurrent subsidiary silver coins received in the treasury.

Section 13 authorizes use of the minor-coinage metal fund and the minor-coinage profit fund (to be renamed the coinage-metal fund and the coinage-profit fund) for the purchase of metals for the coins provided for in the Act and for certain expenses incurred in such coinage, namely, the wastage and cost of distribution of the coins. It also raises the amount available in the coinage-metal fund from \$3,000,000 to \$30,000,000. This increase in amount is necessary because after enactment of the bill this fund will be used for the purchase of metals used in coinage of all denominations whereas at the present time it is used only for metals for one and five cent coins.

Section 14 amends one of the counterfeiting laws so as to make it applicable to the new cupronickel and silver-clad coins on the same terms and conditions as it is now applicable to the subsidiary silver coins. It is not necessary to amend any of the other counterfeiting laws since these will be applicable by their terms to the new coins.

Section 15 is a general provision authorizing the secretary of the treasury to issue regulations that may be necessary to carry out the provisions of the act.

Section 16 provides penalties for violations of any regulations issued under Section 5 of the act, prohibiting the export, melting or treating of U. S. coins. The penalties would be forfeiture and imprisonment up to five years or a fine up to \$10,000, or both.

TITLE II

Section 1 provides for the establishment of a joint commission on the coinage, composed of four executive officials, six members of Congress, and four public members to be appointed by the President. The public members shall not be representatives of any group having a direct interest in coinage.

Section 2 provides that the executive and congressional members shall cease to serve on the joint commission after leaving their public office, and provides for the filling of vacancies on the commission.

Section 3 provides that the joint commission shall study the progress made in the implementation of the coinage program established by the act. It shall review and give its advice and recommendations from time to time to the Congress, President and the secretary of the treasury on such matters as the needs of the economy for coins, the standards for the coinage, technological development in metallurgy, the availability of various metals, renewed minting of the silver dollar, the time when and circumstances under which the United States should cease to maintain the price of silver, and other considerations relevant to the maintenance of an adequate and stable coinage system.

Section 4 authorizes the appropriation of such amounts as may be necessary for the expense of the joint commission.

Late A.N.A. Building Site News

As we go to press Chairman Charles M. Johnson reports that the site selection committee has started negotiations for an A.N.A. headquarters site at Colorado Springs. Satisfactory progress is being made for a site offered the Association on the Campus of Colorado College. The site includes in excess of 30,000 sq. ft. of choice space and is offered on a 99-year lease at \$1 annual rental. The proposed agreement includes an option for renewal of the lease prior to its expiration.

According to a Treasury department statement, the net sale of monetary gold by the United States in the first quarter of 1965 amounted to \$811 million. The statement shows that France took about 60% of the total sales. An additional \$22 million went for domestic industrial, professional and artistic uses.

NATIONAL COIN WEEK WINNERS OF 1965

The 1965 National Coin Week judging committee reports that the following are winners in the NCW competition:

Class A Clubs

1. Greeley Coin Club, A.N.A. 10300, Greeley, Colo.
2. Muscle Shoals Coin Club, A.N.A. 33635, Sheffield, Ala.
3. Jefferson County Coin Club, A.N.A. 41157, Denver, Colo.

Honorary Mention —

- Odessa Coin Club, A.N.A. 35638, Odessa, Tex.
Northeast Ohio Coin Club, A.N.A. 34000, Cleveland

Class B Clubs

1. Western Kentucky Coin Club, A.N.A. 48682, Paducah, Ky.
2. Middle Georgia Coin Club, A.N.A. 40163, Macon, Ga.
3. Redding Numismatic Society, A.N.A. 44423, Redding, Calif.

Honorary Mention —

Because of the closeness of points given to the next 6 clubs in this class, the judges awarded honorary mention to all of them.

- Ashland Stamp & Coin Club, A.N.A. 13517, Ashland, O.
Casper Coin Club, A.N.A. 52285, Casper, Wyo.
Newport County Coin Club, A.N.A. 47417, Newport, R. I.
Saginaw Valley Coin Club, A.N.A. 17628, Saginaw, Mich.
Valparaiso Coin Club, A.N.A. 45489, Valparaiso, Ind.
Wilmington Coin Club, A.N.A. 42194, Wilmington, Del.

Class C Clubs

1. Southwest Louisiana Coin Club, A.N.A. 41169, Lake Charles, La.
2. Panhandle Coin Club, A.N.A. 36183, Chadron, Nebr.
3. Key West Coin Club, A.N.A. 25800, Key West, Fla.

Honorary Mention —

- Silver Sands Coin Club, A.N.A. 44502, Panama City, Fla.
Warner-Robins Coin Club, A.N.A. 49834, Robins AFB, Ga.

Individuals

1. William C. Birr, A.N.A. 41793, Winter Park, Fla.
2. Mrs. Donald H. Mead, A.N.A. A-52125, Wichita, Kans.
3. Mrs. Saucie Maynard, A.N.A. 29281, Winfield, Kans.

Honorary Mention —

- Edward Boehme, A.N.A. 36686, St. Louis, Mo.
Andrew M. Hemmert, A.N.A. 53564, Philadelphia, Pa.

Clubs Outside the United States

1. Narimasu Coin Club, A.N.A. 54283, Japan
2. Boringuen Coin Club, A.N.A. 51050, Puerto Rico

Individuals Outside the United States

1. Harold D. Allen, A.N.A. LM 326, Chibougamau, Que., Canada

All awards will be presented at the A.N.A. convention in Houston, Texas, at the awards meeting scheduled for Friday, August 27, 1965. Clubs should designate a representative to be present and receive the award, and individual award winners should be present if possible.

LOIS OTIS, General Chairman
J. THOMAS NOLAN, Awards Chairman

The First Texas Bank

BANCO DE COMMERCIA Y AGRICULTURA

By

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A LONG and interesting history attaches to the first private bank in Texas which issued money for circulation. Although several private firms, cities, counties, and individuals issued money from 1837 to 1844, a law in 1844¹ and the state constitution adopted in 1846 prohibited more. The first and only bank to issue money, as opposed to notes drawn on private merchants, was the Commercial and Agricultural Bank owned by Samuel M. Williams, the largest merchant in Texas at that time.

Williams and his partner, Thomas F. McKinney, were very successful businessmen in Texas from about 1833, involved in everything from merchandising foodstuffs, timber, cotton gins and printing equipment to owning shipping lines. Williams came to Texas in 1824 as partner and general secretary to Stephen F. Austin and soon became land agent, consular and diplomatic agent, judge, abstractor, etc. He naturally returned to the commission merchant business for which his earlier training had fitted him. The partners' business was with New Orleans, Mobile, New York and Philadelphia merchants, not with the Mexican market sources under whose government the state of Texas y Coahilla existed. Their orders to these cities in the early 1830s were so immense it was natural that their activities included land speculation, buying and selling of Texas products for export, and a small fleet of ships.

To facilitate the financing of this operation, Williams, on April 30, 1835, had obtained from Mexico a charter for a "Banco de Comercia y Agricultura," the first legally incorporated private bank in Texas². The charter³ provided that the bank could not be opened until at least \$100,000 in specie as capital was in its vaults. A commissioner was to be appointed to ensure that the capital was actually available and to make periodic exami-

nations of the banking records. This latter requirement was the first Texas attempt at banking supervision.

Business interests in the East subscribed the necessary \$100,000 in 1835 and 1836, currency plates were prepared by Draper, Toppan, Longacre & Co. and notes were printed in anticipation of the early opening of the bank. However, the panic of 1837 made it impossible to raise the specie, despite repeated efforts, and the bank remained unopened. In the meantime, Texas attained her independence from Mexico and the opening of a bank became of less importance than the necessity of supporting over a tenth of the total cost of the Texas revolution,⁴ and subsequent needs to retain business and monetary equilibrium in a chaotic financial world.

New Orleans printers had, at Williams's request, printed notes, checks, and other papers from plates prepared by Draper, Toppan, Longacre & Co. These were never issued and remained in the printer's storerooms until the Civil War when the shortage of paper caused the thrifty printer to salvage these sheets of notes and those of other defunct banks and print notes of Louisiana on the reverse side.⁵

Apparently the sheets of \$1 notes escaped this fate as well as a few sheets of other denominations. The author has a photo of a sheet of \$3-3-5-5 notes but has no record of an original sheet being extant. The examples illustrated here were assembled by cutting individual Louisiana notes until a complete Texas note could be reconstructed. The number printed in each denomination is unknown. Perhaps some future research can turn up this date; but we do know that notes were printed in the denominations of \$1-2-3-5-10 and 20.

In 1841 the Republic of Texas found its finances in such a deplorable state and its currencies issued in such vast

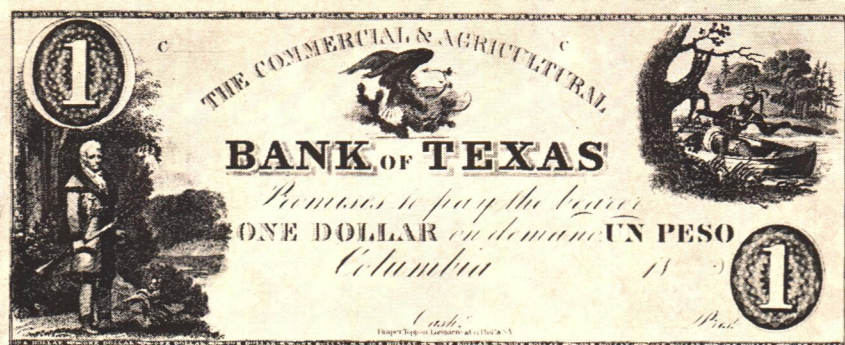
¹H. P. N. Gammel, *Laws of Texas*, Vol. 2, p. 1031.

²A prior banking operation by Governor Jose Felix Trespalacios was a limited operation and public institution, and did not qualify as a bank in most operations.

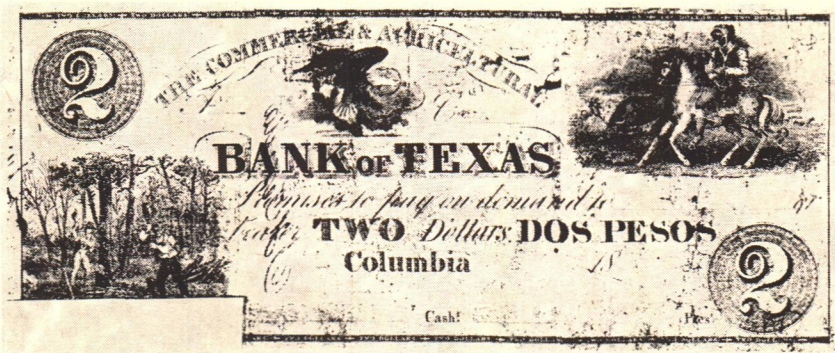
³Gammel, *Laws of Texas*, Vol. 1, p. 406.

⁴Joseph B. Frantz, *The Mercantile House of McKinney & Williams, Underwriters of the Texas Revolution*, March, 1952.

⁵Grover Criswell, *Confederate & Southern State Currency*, p. 147, La. notes 1, 2 and 3.



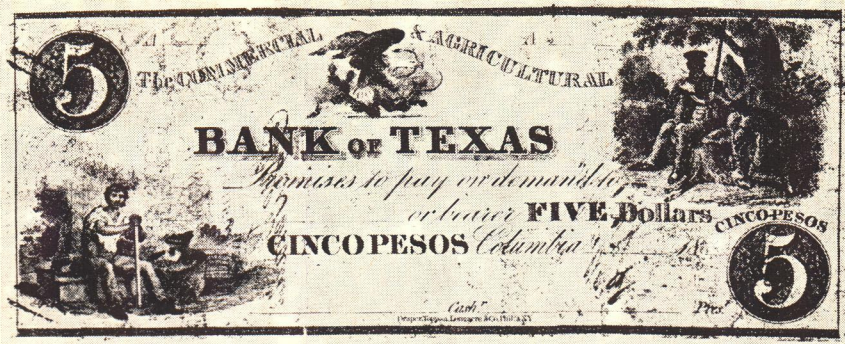
\$1 note of early issue under the 1835 charter. This "remainder" note is the only readily available note of the entire series.



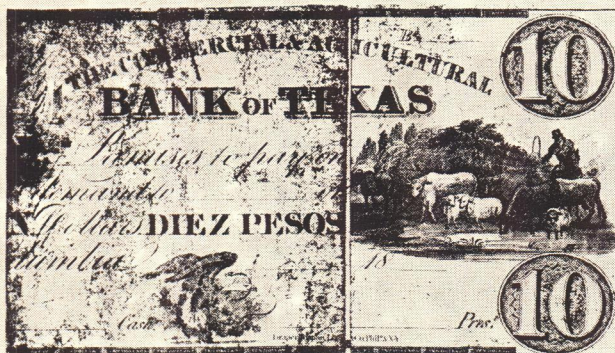
\$2 note issued under the 1835 charter. It was reconstructed from the backs of Louisiana state notes of later date.



\$3 note of the 1835 series, all bearing the imprint of Draper, Toppan, Long-acre & Co., Phila. & N. Y.



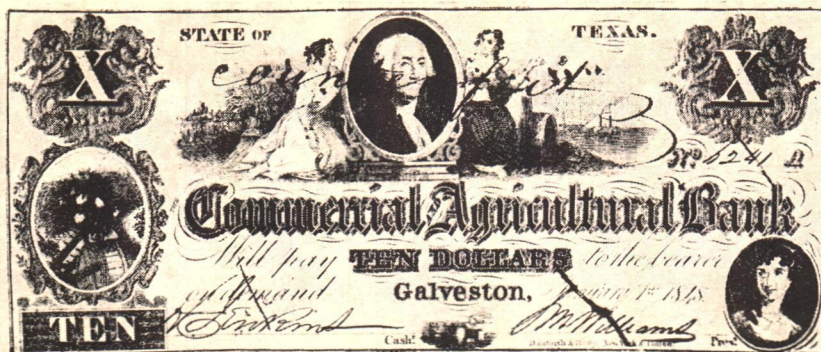
\$5 note of the 1835 series. The printing firm is known to have been in business only from 1834 or 35 to 1839 or 40.



\$10 note reconstructed in part only.



\$1 note of the bank issued after Texas had become a state on December 29, 1845. Note in Lowenstern collection, Amarillo, Texas.



\$10 note, a counterfeit. Since these notes circulated at par, they were a natural target of counterfeiters.



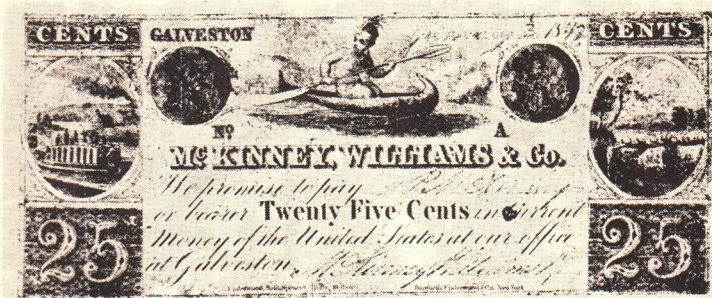
\$20 note reconstructed in part only.



\$100 note, bearing the imprint of Danforth & Hufty, as do the 2 notes above. This firm operated only about two years, 1847-1849.

quantities as to be worth only 15¢ on the dollar.⁶ In order to give some relief to McKinney and Williams, who had gone to such expense to finance the republic, Congress authorized them on February 3, 1841, to issue \$30,000 in notes, thus recognizing the preëminence of the bank and the general unacceptability of the government notes.⁷ These notes were issued

of grumbling by political enemies, the bank was opened. A branch was opened shortly afterwards at Brownsville to facilitate trade on the Rio Grande river and with Mexico. However, the bank never gained any real degree of eminence due to the political sharpshooting and, after protracted criticism and lawsuits, the Supreme Court of Texas in 1859 ruled



McKinney, Williams & Co. 25¢ note, bearing imprints which place its production between 1839 and 1842. In collection of Morris H. Lowenstern.

by the partnership and not by Williams's bank, probably as a compromise arrangement. They were well accepted and circulated near par throughout their existence.

Nothing more was heard of the bank until 1847, after Texas had been a republic for 10 years and had joined the United States as the 28th state on December 29, 1845. Although several attempts had been made to gain governmental recognition and open the bank, the constitution of the new state prohibited the issuing of currency due to the debacle of the depreciated Republic of Texas currency and that of neighboring states, including many private issues. On December 30, 1847, Williams, who cared very little for the consequences when he felt he was right, opened the doors of the bank at Galveston under the original Mexican charter.

There was considerable question as to the legality of this, as it was a Mexican charter and the republic laws and the new state constitution forbade the issuing of currency. But in spite

that the bank charter was in violation of state laws. Williams, exasperated and tired of the prolonged headache, almost gratefully closed its doors. He died soon afterward and the bank's goodwill was transferred to Ball, Hutchings & Co., a private bank in Galveston which is now the Hutchings-Sealy national bank.

Thus the first private bank in Texas, and the only one to issue currency, passed into history. As often is the case, a short and stormy life leaves its mark, and this one opened the way and was, indirectly, the cause for many of the laws of Texas concerning banking in the state today.

The bank issued money in 1848, although there were accusations that these notes were actually issued in 1853 and backdated because of lawsuits then pending. Notes known to have been issued are \$1-10-20-50 and 100. It is presumed that \$3 and \$5 were issued also, although none is known. Of the entire series only the \$1, \$10 and \$100 are known to exist today. All are very rare.

⁶William M. Gouge, *The Fiscal History of Texas*, 1852, p. 307.

⁷Gammel, *Laws of Texas*, Vol. 2, p. 598.

1965 A.N.A. CONVENTION MEDAL

The familiar lamp of knowledge resting on a volume of ancient history, the main feature of the official seal of the American Numismatic Association, has been used on the Houston convention medal to depict the position and main function of our parent organization in the numismatic world. In keeping with the objects of A.N.A., the design shows the lamp of knowledge spreading rays of numismatic enlightenment and friendship throughout the world. The international complexion of A.N.A., and the worldwide interest in our hobby, is as the sun's rays touching the lives of fellow collectors to the far corners of the earth. The designers envision numismatic rays of knowledge and fellowship nurturing and warming numismatists through fraternal sharing and closeness just as the sun warms and nurtures earthly creatures.

Sam Houston, the titanic Texas statesman, is symbolic of Houston, the city, a Southland titan. In 1917 the Women's City Club of Houston was looking for a worthwhile civic project. At the suggestion of the late Judge Charles E. Ashe, they decided to sponsor a lasting memorial to General Sam Houston. The project was launched through the pages of the local press from which we quote, "Since the citizens of Houston are beneficiaries of his (Houston's) service and heirs to the heritage of glory he and his dauntless band bequeathed to coming generations, it is just and proper that Houstonians consummate the patriotic purpose to perpetuate the memory of the statesman, soldier and patriot, Sam Houston."



So it was that by public donations the project took form and the late Enrico Filberto Cerracchio, a noted Houston sculptor, was commissioned in 1922 to do the work. This heroic bronze equestrian statue was unveiled August 16, 1925. Standing guard at the entrance to Hermann park, a shaded retreat in the heart of Houston, Sam Houston, father of Texas freedom, points the way to the San Jacinto battlefield, birthplace of Texas freedom.

The medal design is the work of two Greater Houston Coin Club members, Diane Holmes and Doris Martin. From their sketches and ideas, Edward E. Grove of Drexel Hill, Pa., did the sculpturing. Grove has won equal fame as a painter, a sculptor and an engraver. His many works include the engraving of portraits or vignettes for nine United States postage stamps. This is of especial interest to Texans because among the nine was the 1936 Texas centennial commemorative issue.

Medallic Art Company of New York City, a firm known for the finest workmanship, prepared the dies and struck issues in bronze and silver. The bronze medal illustrated will be part of your identification badge included in the \$3.00 registration fee. Serially numbered bronze and silver pairs will be available at the convention. Encased in gold lettered white plastic, they will sell for \$12.50 the pair. You may reserve your pair by writing to the convention address, where prepaid orders will be accepted until August 10.

As a service to those who cannot attend the convention — and we trust they are few — you may have your medal pair mailed by including an extra 35¢ to cover postage and insurance. Texas residents, please add 25¢ for the 2% sales tax. The right to limit distribution is reserved. Make checks payable to: A.N.A. 74th Convention, and mail with your order to: Convention Medal, 6207 Chevy Chase, Houston, Texas 77027. — DORIS MARTIN, Publ. Chm.

UNFORTUNATE BILLS

Although Senator Alan Bible, Nevada, has made an attempt to protect collectors of American coins in S.2012 and S.2036 "to prohibit certain practices creating artificial shortages in coins of the United States," he has in reality set up the mechanism which will severely handicap collectors. Furthermore, some parts of his proposed legislation are adequately covered in the administration bill presented by the President June 3, but are on a standby basis.

Because of sweeping restrictions and severe penalties of "a fine of not more than \$10,000 or a year's imprisonment; or both," they will be almost as impossible to put in force as was the 18th amendment. Whimsical enforcement would result.

Use of United States coins as loan collateral is forbidden, as is their export. Bona fide collections are exempt from the first, but the latter is limited to \$50.

A section on profiteering decrees that "Whoever buys or sells any coins of the United States [except rare coins] at a price in excess of their monetary value" shall be subject to penalties. The section on hoarding states that "Whoever accumulates coins of the United States in excess of the reasonable demands of business, home or personal use" is in violation. Just what "reasonable" is the bills do not reveal, but again the bona fide collector is exempt.

The *Treasury Staff Study of Silver and Coinage*, the result of two years of research and analyses which served as the basis for the administration bill, states that the usefulness of controls on hoarding, exportation or melting of American coins is "questionable."

At this point you may say "How does this concern the collector of American coins? The Senator has adequately protected him by specific exemptions." But wait.

Section 5a is the part of most concern, for it is the keystone of protection of collectors — "The secretary of the treasury shall from time to time cause to be published in the Federal Register a list of coins of the United States which because of their rarity have a value to bona fide collectors of coins which is in excess of their monetary value." Besides adding one more chore to an already busy treasury staff, this section reflects a general misunderstanding as to what a coin collection is.

To millions of our fellow citizens a collection consists entirely of rare coins. They do not realize, for instance, that many date-and-mint mark series of a given denomination are made up of a few rare or scarce pieces bonded together by common coins that by no stretch of the imagination could be called rare. Many of them would not appear on the treasury's list. Yet the set could not be considered complete without them.

The majority of type sets are made up with the least expensive coins available. These coins would be the most common, hence not likely to be found on a treasury list.

United States mint sets have been sold to collector at a premium by the treasury for many years. Common dates were sold along with scarcer coins. Is the treasury to come along now and say to the collector who purchased these sets that he is holding coins illegally and is subject to penalty? It will, if Senator Bible's bills become law.

The only way to make these bills acceptable to the numismatic fraternity is to declare all United States coins collectible and clarify certain other portions of the legislation. Anything less will destroy the collecting of United States coins. Both old and new collections will be sabotaged.

All in all, S.2012 and S.2036 are such dangerous and unnecessary bills they should die in committee. To make sure they do, collectors should protest to their senators and Senator A. Willis Robertson, chairman, Senate Committee on Banking and Currency, Senate Office Building, Washington, D. C. — ELSTON G. BRADFIELD

HEATH LITERARY AWARDS FOR 1964

Your committee, appointed to judge the best articles which were published in 1964 in *The Numismatist*, presents below the list of authors who will receive the Heath Literary awards at the Houston convention. Eligibility for the medal awards is restricted to A.N.A. contributors, except elected A.N.A. officials. Non-members and Association officers may receive honorary certificates.

SILVER MEDALS

1. Eric P. Newman: "Nature Printing of Colonial and Continental Currency"
2. George Fuld: "Origin of Washington Cents"

BRONZE MEDALS

3. J. L. Grebinger: "Currency Printing Errors"
4. Richard T. Hooper: "Financial History of Colonial New Hampshire"
5. Robert J. Lindesmith: "New Light on the Bennett Note"

HONORARY MENTION

Matt Rothert: "Unusual Aspects of United States Fractional Currency"
Dr. Mena Crisologo: "Countermarked Coins of the Philippines"
Mendel L. Peterson: "New World Treasures"

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THE WALKER MEDAL BY VINCZE



The Dr John Walker medal, a tribute to the late Keeper of Coins and Medals in the British Museum, was designed by the distinguished medalist Paul Vincze. It is available from Mrs. J. S. Martin, Department of Coins and Medals, British Museum, London, W. C. 1. in the following metals: Bronze, \$6.50; sterling silver, \$16.50; fine silver, 1,000 pieces, \$20; nine carat gold, \$110; 18 carat gold, \$240; fine gold, 100 pieces, \$350; platinum, 25 pieces, \$700. Velvet padded cases, if required, \$2.50. Diameter is 2 1/4 inches. Remittance must accompany order.

COINAGE CALISTHENICS

When President Johnson signed an authorization on August 3, 1964, for the mint to produce 45 million new silver dollars, it didn't create too much of a numismatic stir. It was emphasized that the legislation was only an authorization and not an actual order to mint the coins. The mint had some pressing problems and, obviously, wasn't anxious to add to its already heavy burden of easing the coin shortage.

As the silver situation became more acute and better understood, the likelihood that the 45 million silver dollars would be struck seemed even more remote. Surely the Treasury didn't want to use nearly 35 million ounces of its dwindling silver stock to make impractical coins. But the prophets and guessers were being too practical minded and neglected the political inferences.

So on May 15, just 47 days before the authority for striking the new cartwheels would expire, practically everyone was startled at the news that the President had ordered the minting of them. But in trying to make good on political promises, the President ran into public and congressional opposition, finding that even some of his friends in silver producing states could not endorse the bizarre order.

On May 24 came a Treasury announcement that "After conferring with the White House, the Treasury has therefore determined that the mint will not make any of these dollars at this time." By the time this is published, the authority for making silver dollars "at this time" will have expired. As Freeman Bishop wrote in *American Metal Market*, "Now you see it, now you don't." Just now it appears that we won't see new silver dollars in the near future.

But don't be too sure, for the door is still ajar. On June 3 President Johnson sent to Congress a recommendation for changes in the dime, quarter and half dollar, but did not

include any change in the status of our silver dollar. If Congress accepts the President's recommendation, which obviously was based on the study which Treasury has been conducting for six months or more, cents and nickels will remain unchanged, dimes and quarters will be without any silver, and half dollars will be .400 fine. This means a half dollar will contain .16075+ ounces of silver instead of the current .36170 ounces.

The dime and quarter recommended are to consist of three layers of metal, the center to be pure copper with a layer of 75% copper and 25% nickel on each face. This latter alloy is the cupro-nickel of which the 5 cent piece has always been made, except during 1942-1945. The half dollar will be made in three layers also, the core to be of a silver-copper alloy with faces of 80% silver and 20% copper. The over-all composition of this half dollar will be 40% silver and 60% copper, thus being a silver coin .400 fine.

Other provisions of the recommended legislation would prohibit the melting and exporting of U.S. coins; authorize the Treasury to buy newly mined domestic silver at \$1.25 per fine troy ounce and to sell silver at not less than its monetary value (\$1.2929+ per troy ounce, based on the legal silver dollar); that the new coins shall be the same diameter and about the same weight as current coins; authorize temporary use of the San Francisco Assay Office for coinage operations; and make other changes in existing laws for the manufacture, use and protection of the new coins.

Assuming early passage of legislation along the lines recommended by the President, it is expected that production of the new coins will start early in 1966 and that about three years will be required to complete the conversion to coins of the new compositions. However, no allowance is made for coinage calisthenics or silver dollar edicts in the White House.

New Mailing Address

Don Sherer, A.N.A. executive secretary, has a new mailing address. For better service and to avoid confusion in Sherer's personal business office, all mail to the A.N.A. executive secretary should be sent to him at P. O. Box 16243, Phoenix, Ariz. 85011.

ADDITION TO SLIDE LIBRARY

The latest addition to the A.N.A. visual education loan library is "Brazilian Crown and Minor Commemorative Coins of the 19th and 20th Centuries." This slide set, No. 27-A, Part III, consists of 42 slides of Brazilian coins beginning with the 1900 issue, commemorating the discovery of Brazil, through the famous men series of the late 1930s.

Crown and minor commemorative coins of the 19th and 20th centuries now consists of three separate slide sets. Set 26, or Part I, includes Canada, Mexico and the West Indies. Set 27, or Part II, covers Salvador, Costa Rica, Panama, Colombia, Peru, Argentina and Uruguay. The new set 27-A, Part III, deals exclusively with the commemorative coins of Brazil. All three parts have tape recorded commentaries as well as regular lecture notes which include pronunciation guides.

These three sets were written and narrated by John W. Dunn, a member of the A.N.A. audio-visual education committee. A.N.A. clubs wishing to reserve copies of these recent sets, as well as other visual education material, should write to Michael M. Dolnick, chairman of the committee and custodian of slides, 6720 N. Seeley Ave., Chicago, Ill. 60645. There are no charges for the use of this material beyond the payment of shipping costs.

Obituaries

HARRY D. WINTER, A.N.A. NO. 9892

Harry D. Winter, 66, of Cambridge City, Ind., died on March 21. He was a retired school teacher, principal and coach. A native of East Germantown, Ind., he received teacher training at Indiana State where he won letters in football, basketball and baseball. Later he was named the college's outstanding athlete of the first half of the 20th century.

Winter was one of those persons often referred to as a born collector, and proved it by collecting many things. As a coin collector he formed exceptional collections of U.S. coins, foreign coins and wooden "nickels." He was a past president of Richmond (Ind.) Coin Club and last year won a trophy for a display of foreign commemorative coins at the Indiana State Numismatic Association convention.

Winter was a veteran of World War I and a member of the Dublin Post 338 of American Legion. He was a member of the Evangelical United Brethren Church. A brother, Sherl J. Winter, M.D., survives — HH

HOWARD F. STREET, A.N.A. NO. 8392

Howard F. Street, 3805 Linden Ave., Philadelphia, Pa., died April 23, 1965, at the age of 80 leaving his devoted wife, Eva H., and a daughter, Elaine M. Rees. He was a retired employe of the Campbell Soup Co. of Camden, N. J.

Howard was a collector of long standing and specialized in U. S. currency. He possessed a very excellent collection of our currency in crisp condition and enjoyed exhibiting it, not only in local banking institutions during National Coin Week, but also at regional and national conventions.

He and Mrs. Street attended a number of A. N. A. conventions. He was an ardent supporter of the Middle Atlantic Numismatic Association in its early years and was a representative to its annual meetings. He served as chairman of the cheer and condolence committee of the Philadelphia Coin Club for a number of years and performed his duties with distinction. He was the Club's curator during a number of administrations. His keen interest in our mutual hobby was an inspiration to all who knew him; we will certainly miss him at the Philadelphia Coin Club meetings. — AS

In commenting on "The Cartwheel Fiasco" in the *Chicago Daily News*, columnist John M. Johnson included this concise observation: "The President's willingness to issue this bizarre order (May 15 to strike 45,000,000 dollars) helps to explain how he achieves his celebrated legislative victories. His retreat proves his acumen, without erasing the demonstration of propensity to go a long way to please his political supporters."

NEW OR RECENT ISSUES

By

ERNST KRAUS, LM 129

It is the important duty of *The Numismatist* to record and illustrate new coins. To accomplish this, members in the United States and abroad are invited to submit new issues to Ernst Kraus, Apt. A, 1501 E. Mt. Airy Ave., Philadelphia 50, Pa. Coins will be photographed and returned as soon as possible, and a credit line will be given to anyone assisting.

AFGHANISTAN



1 Paisa, 1904. Copper. Obverse: Mosque and pulpit, value below: "yek paisa" (one paisa) in debased Persian characters. Reverse: "Kandahar" (mint) 1322 AH Mohammedan date. According to Charles K. Panish, who did a great deal of research on this, it is not an imperial but a private (so-called autonomous) coin. They were struck at Herat and Kandahar in copper over other coins; the above was most likely overstruck on a British East India $\frac{1}{4}$ anna. Crude design and inscription. (Submitted by Jack Friedberg, credits also to Hy Steinberg and Hans Holzer)

AUSTRIA

25 Schilling, 1965. Silver. Obverse: Head to left, date at right 1965. Legend around: 150 JAHRE TECHNISCHE HOCH SCHULE WIEN (150 years technical university in Vienna) on the bottom: J.J.R. V. PRECHTL. Reverse: Value within circle of 10 shields. Legend around: REPUBLIK OSTERREICH. Value around the edge: FUENF UND ZWANZIG SCHILLING. (Courtesy: G. & N.



Cooper, Modern World Coins; Jack Friedberg, Gimbels Coin Dept.)



50 Schilling, 1965. Silver. Obverse: Crowned head of Archduke, facing $\frac{3}{4}$

to right, legend below: RUDOLF DER STIFTER, above: UNIVERSITAT WIEN, dates 1365 and 1965. Reverse: Value within circle of ten shields, legend around: REPUBLIK OSTERREICH. Inscription around the edge: FUENFZIG SCHILLING (value). The above coin commemorates the 600th anniversary of the founding of the University of Vienna. (A specimen was donated by Lt. Alfred H. White, USN, to the A.N.A. collection. We also thank him for donating the Bermuda crown, 1964, to the A.N.A. collection. Additional credits: Courtesy: G. & N. Cooper, Modern World Coins, Jack Friedberg, Coin & Currency Institute, Gimbels Coin Departments.)

CZECHOSLOVAKIA



25 Korun, 1965. Silver. Obverse: Arms, the Bohemian lion, star above, all on five-pointed shield, legend around: CESKOSLOVENSKA SOCIALISTICKA REPUBLIKA. Reverse: Girl's head to left, dove holding a linden tree branch, signifying peace, dates 1945-1965, value on bottom. Inscription around the edge: 20 LET OZVOBOZENI C S S R. The above issue commemorates the 20th anniversary of the liberation and end of World War II in Europe. (Courtesy: Jack Friedberg, Coin and Currency Institute; Gimbels Coin Departments, G. & N. Cooper, Modern World Coins.)

DENMARK



5 Ore, 1963. Bronze. Obverse: Royal monogram FR IX for King Frederick IX; crown above, divided date. Reverse: Value in center within two ears of wheat, DANMARK above; on the bottom a heart (Copenhagen mint mark), the letter C (for the mint master A. K. F. Christiansen) and S (for the designer Harald Salomon). Plain edge.

ECUADOR



10 Centavos, 1964. Nickel-clad steel. Obverse: Arms in center, date below, legend around: REPUBLICA DEL ECUADOR. Reverse: Value within wreath. Plain edge.



1 Sucre, 1964. Nickel-clad steel. Obverse: Similar to above. Reverse: Head of Sucre to left, within wreath, value below. Reeded edge. (According to Dr. A. Karger, who donated

the above specimens to the A.N.A. collection, the coins were struck at Altena, Westphalia and show several minor design changes, compared to the previous issues of same values and of course change of alloy from copper-nickel to nickel-clad steel.)

MALAWI



6 Pence, 1964. Nickel-silver. Obverse: Design is identical on all the following values. Portrait of the prime minister, Dr. Hastings Banda, to right, MALAWI below. Reverse: Australopithecus to right, date above, value below. The edge is partly plain and partly reeded; the same on all the following values.



1 Shilling, 1964. Nickel-silver. Reverse: A bunch of maize cobs, date above, value below.



Florin, 1964. Nickel-silver. Reverse: Mother and baby elephant, date and value below.

Half Crown, 1964. Nickel-silver. Reverse: Malawi coat of arms, date and



value below. Designs by Paul Vincze, F.R.B.S., the famous sculptor and medalist. The coins were struck at the royal mint in London. (Courtesy: G. & N. Cooper of Modern World Coins, L. Benson)

RHODESIA



6 Pence, 1964. Copper-nickel. Obverse: New portrait of the queen to right. Legend at left: ELIZABETH, at right: THE SECOND. Reverse: A lily in the center, legend above: RHODESIA, date below, value at left 6d, at right 5c. Reeded edge.



1 Shilling, 1964. Copper-nickel. Obverse as above. Reverse: Arms on shield in center, RHODESIA above, date on bottom, at left 1/- at right 10c. Reeded edge.

2 Shillings, 1964. Copper-nickel. Obverse as above. Reverse: Stone bird



in center, RHODESIA on top, date on bottom. Value at left 2/-, at right 20c. Reeded edge.

2½ Shillings or ½ crown, 1964. Copper-nickel. Obverse as above. Reverse: Antelope standing to left, RHODESIA above, date below, value at left: 2/6d at right: 25c. Reeded edge. These are the first coins, dated 1964, showing



the new portrait of the queen. Also the first ones, showing dual values in

shilling and pence of the sterling system and also cents of the new decimal system. The coins were struck at the Pretoria mint in South Africa. (Courtesy G. & N. Cooper, Modern World Coins; Ernst Burgsthaler, Oberfahlheim, West Germany.)

SOUTH ARABIAN FEDERATION



1 Fils, Aluminum. 1964. Obverse: Eight pointed, sectioned star in center, symbol of the new federation. Arabic legend above: "Al janubie al arabya," English legend on the bottom: SOUTH ARABIA. Reverse: Crossed daggers, Christian date 1964 below, value on top in English and Arabic: 1 FILS. Plain edge.



5 Fils, 1964. Bronze. Similar to above except for value and larger planchet. Plain edge.



25 Fils, 1964. Copper-nickel. Obverse similar to above. Reverse: A native sailboat in center, date below, value above in English and Arabic. Reeded edge.

50 Fils, 1964. Copper-nickel. Obverse as above. Reverse similar to



above, but added legend on top: "durhem wahad" (one dirhem) between English and Arabic value of 50 fils. Also reported was a 10 fils, which could not be verified at this time. (The above set of four values was donated to the A.N.A. collection by Richard E. Reis)

SWITZERLAND



Silver bar. Obverse: Oblong and thick silver bar, design at left, 3

medieval keys, date below 1872, all within a border. Inscription: SCHWEIZERISCHER BANK VEREIN (Swiss bank union) FEIN SILBER 100 GRAMM .999 . Reverse: GUARANTEED BY JOHNSON MATTHEY, LONDON. REFINERS TO THE BANK OF ENGLAND. (Courtesy Modern World Coins, Philadelphia)

SYRIA



2½ Piastres, 1962. Aluminum-bronze. Obverse: Arms, spread eagle with superimposed shield of three stars, "Republic of Syria" on ribbon below; dates 1962 A.D., 1382 A. H. on bottom, Arabic script. Reverse: Value in center and on panel below, ornamental designs also below; legend on top: "Republic of Syria." Reeded edge.



5 Piastres, 1962. Aluminum-bronze. Obverse similar to above. Reverse: Value within a square, star on each side; legend on bottom, "Republic of Syria." Reeded edge.



10 Piastres, 1962. Aluminum-bronze. Obverse: as above. Reverse: Value in center, legend on top "Republic of Syria." Reeded edge. (Courtesy of Lauren Benson)

USSR



1 Ruble, 1965. Nickel-silver. Obverse: Emblem of the Soviet Union in the upper part, in Cyrillic letters: USSR, value below. Reverse; Monument to a soldier, liberator, who is holding a sword in his right hand, smashing a swastika, and holding a child in his left arm, dividing "XX let" (20 years) Legend around:

"Victory over fascist Germany." Legend around the edge: "one ruble," May 9, 1965. (Courtesy: G. & N. Cooper, Modern World Coins)

YEMEN



2 Bogach, 1963. Aluminum-bronze. Obverse: Value within center ring, legend above, "Arabia Republic of Yemen." Reverse: Coffee sprigs in center. Dates 1382 A. H., 1963 A. D. below in Arabic. Plain edge. (Probably struck at Cairo mint) (Courtesy of Lauren Benson)

According to Christian F. Verbeke, in the Finnish markka of 1964, described in "New or Recent Issues" of August, 1964, the alloy is 8% zinc, not tin.

The coins of Zambia, 6d, 1/-, 2/-, described in this column of May, 1965 are of nickel-silver, not copper-nickel, according to Kenneth Henderson.

DOMESTIC COINAGE REPORT DURING APRIL, 1965

Denomination	Executed During April, 1965		Total Coins Dated 1964
	Total Value	Total Pieces	Cumulative
SILVER			
Half dollars	\$ 7,539,000.00	15,078,000	264,093,612
Quarter dollars	18,859,000.00	75,436,000	646,169,308
Dimes	11,394,000.00	113,940,000	1,239,134,430
Total silver	\$37,792,000.00	204,454,000	2,149,397,350
MINOR			
Five cent pieces	\$ 9,727,800.00	194,556,000	1,512,625,840
One cent pieces	3,396,850.00	339,685,000	4,512,343,400
Total minor	\$13,124,650.00	534,241,000	6,024,969,240
Total domestic	\$50,916,650.00	738,695,000*	8,174,366,590
*Represents an annual production rate of 8,925,000,000 coins.			
Proof sets struck in 1965 through April.....	None		
Coinage executed for foreign governments.....	None		

Decimal currency for Fiji is to start January 15, 1969, The London Times reports.

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A.N.A. Bylaws Changes

As reported in May (p. 691) the board of governors, at its March 22-24 meeting, approved minor changes in the Association's bylaws to bring them in conformity with present practices and conditions. Changes in the bylaws as published in the May, 1964 "History, Bylaws and Membership" listing are as follows, with deleted portions enclosed in brackets and additions in italics:

Article 1, Sec. 3, subsec. (b) — Any application made under this subsection shall be accompanied by a copy of the constitution and bylaws of said applicant unless this requirement is specifically waived by the [board of governors] *executive secretary*.

Article IV, Sec. 1 — The elected officers of the Association [are: president, first vice president, second vice president, executive secretary, treasurer and] *shall be* a board of nine governors which shall include the president, first vice president and second vice president. [On and after August 10, 1963, the executive secretary and treasurer shall be appointed by the board of governors.]

Article IV, Sec. 1, subsec. (a) — No member shall be eligible for election as president or first vice president unless he shall have first been elected and served at least one term as a member of the board of governors. [second vice president, treasurer or executive secretary of the Association]

Article IV, Sec. 3, subsec. (d) — [To supervise all educational programs of the Association and report thereon to the president.]

Article IV, Sec. 4, subsec. (b) — [To aid and supervise the district or club representatives in the performance of their duties.]

Article IV, Sec. 4, subsec. (c) — [To require the district or club representatives to render to him reports as requested at least once a year and make a report thereof to the president.]

Article IV, Sec. 5 — [The board of governors shall consist of nine members, including the president, first vice president and second vice president.] The board of governors shall have the power to act on the affairs and business of the Association, including but not being limited to:

Article IV, Sec. 5, subsec. (h) Appoint annually an *executive secretary*; *assistants to the executive secretary*; *editor*; *assistant editor*; *assistants to the editor*; *advertising manager*; *assistant to the advertising manager*; [an editor of the official magazine; assistant editors,] *public relations officer*; (a) *librarian*; [and an] *assistant to the librarian*; *treasurer*; *legal counsel*; *curator*; *assistant curator*; *curator of medals*; *custodian of slides*; *historian*; *sergeant at arms*; *assistants to sergeant at arms*; *custodian of the archives*; *Washington D.C., representative*. [and fix the compensation of each. If deemed advisable, more than one position may be held by the same person.]

Article IV, Sec. 5, subsec. (n) — [Appoint annually a curator of medals, assistant to executive secretary, curator of slides, historian, sergeant at arms, assistant sergeants at arms, and custodians of archives.]

Article IV, Sec. 5, subsection (o) becomes subsection (n).

Article IV, Sec. 5, subsection (p) becomes subsection (o).

Article IV, Sec. 5, subsection (q) becomes subsection (p).

Article VII, Sec. 4 — [To expedite the work of such convention,] As soon as it shall be expedient to do so, the president shall each year appoint:

subsec. (a) A committee on credentials [, of not less than three members,] whose duty shall be to report the presence of a quorum at the first business meeting of the convention.

subsec. (b) A committee on papers [, of not less than five members,] whose duty shall be to invite members and others to furnish papers [to be read at the convention.] *which will be considered for publication*.

subsec. (c) An election committee when requested by the board of governors [, of not less than three members,] whose duty shall be to report the results of an election at the last business meeting of the convention.

subsec. (d) A resolutions committee [, of not less than five members,] whose duty shall be to consider all matters referred to it and report thereon as soon as convenient.

subsec. (e) An auditing committee [, of not less than five members,] whose duty shall be to audit such reports and accounts as may be referred to it and report thereon as soon as convenient. The board of governors may retain the services of a certified public accountant or firm of public accountants to [aid the auditing committee in its work.] *audit the books of the Association.*

Article VIII, Sec. 2 — Reproduction of the Association's seal shall be used for no purpose other than official stationery and official publications, except with the *written* authorization or approval of the board of governors. — The bylaws thus revised bear the date of March 22, 1965.

NUMISMATICS IN BRAZIL

The city of Rio de Janeiro is commemorating its fourth centennial with a set of three medals in 22 carat gold. Issued with the consent of the state of Guanabara, the medals weigh approximately four, eight and 16 grams, corresponding roughly to \$2.50, \$5, and \$10 gold coins. The set is selling for about \$65.

Several counterfeit Brazilian empire gold coins are appearing in various cities of Brazil. They are the 5 and 10 milreis pieces, dated 1851 and 1856, and the 20 milreis with an 1857 date. They are well made and stamped in gold of about 22 carats. They have been offered at about three times the worth of their gold content.

Two numismatic associations are flourishing in Brazil, the Associacao Numismatica Brasileira in Sao Paulo and the Associacao Numismatica de Rio de Janeiro, the latter located at Casa Cinelli, 25 Avenue Rio Branco. Its late president, José Basbaum, left a very valuable collection of Brazilian dating from colonial times to the present. His collection consists of gold, silver, copper, nickel and aluminum items.

Brazil, like all South American countries, is plagued with a considerable amount of counterfeit coins, mostly gold, and principally counterfeit English sovereigns. As they pass more or less for their gold content, there is no great resistance to their acceptance. They are believed to come from Italy, Switzerland, Argentina,

and some have been produced in Sao Paulo, especially the 4 ducat Austrians, weighing about 11 grams compared with 14 grams for the genuine coin.

The Brazilian government is discontinuing the issuance of paper money in denominations under 1,000 cruzeiros. The lesser denominations — 500, 100, 50 and 10 cruzeiros — soon will be minted in metal. The vast issues of 1, 2, 5, 10, 50, 100, 200, and 500 cruzeiros paper notes will be recalled and replaced with metal coins. These changes have been dictated by inflation, in which Brazil has been a leader until recently. The value of the dollar has jumped from 18 cruzeiros in 1950 to the present rate of 1,830 cruzeiros to a dollar. Since the regime of Gen. Castello Branco has been in power, the rate of inflation has been slowed considerably.

The Caixa de Amortizacao and the Bank of Brazil have coin museums which are open to the public on week days, without charge.

For many years, most Brazilian currency has been printed by the American Bank Note Company or Thomas de la Rue & Co., Ltd. The latter company has established a plant in Rio, where they produce share certificates, checks, etc., but no currency. Coins are stamped at Casa de Moeda (mint) in Rio de Janeiro, although many years ago some Brazilian coins were minted in Germany and Austria. — D. G. COIMBRA, Rio de Janeiro, Brazil

The proposed new coins will be made of clad metals which are bonded layers of two or more metals or alloys, as compared to the usual alloys that are a uniform composition of two or more metals. Plating is the covering of a metal or alloy with some other metal, usually by chemical or electrolytic processes.

HOUSTON CONVENTION REGISTRATION

Blondean and Tommie Walter, the husband and wife registration team, want to remind you of an important matter. Since it becomes their responsibility to get you and thousands of others properly registered for the 74th A.N.A. convention, it becomes our duty to lighten their load by registering in advance. This thoughtfulness serves a dual purpose that benefits both you and the committee. The Walters will have an efficiently manned registration desk at the convention, but why should you spend valuable time standing in line?

Tommie tells us that the advance registration materials are ready for distribution. To expedite this service, he asks you to follow this directive:

Mail requests for advance registration material to T. A. Walter, 5001 Holly, Bellaire, Texas 77401. A postal card will suffice. Give the following information: Number of persons you want to register (each person 12 years of age or over must register on a separate card); request a hotel reservation card if needed (it shows rates); type or print plainly your name and mailing address; (exhibitors only) request a ribbon which will admit you to the exhibit area Tuesday afternoon or early Wednesday to arrange your exhibit.

The following will be sent to you: Number of registration cards requested; information about activities requiring the purchase of tickets; schedule of events to help you budget your convention time.

Upon receipt of your completed registration card or cards and check to cover your order as indicated on the back of the registration card, you will receive a postal card acknowledging your order and assigning you a registration number. *Keep this card.* Bring it with you to the convention to identify and claim your materials. They will be available on Tuesday, August 24, through Saturday, August

28, at the advance registration desk. Should something unforeseen prevent your attendance, your materials will be mailed to you as soon as possible.

Notice to dealers who will occupy bourse space at the convention: Regis-



Blondean and Tommie Walter

tration cards and other materials have been mailed to you so that you can register your assistants. If this has not yet arrived, please write to the general chairman, A. I. Martin, 6207 Chevy Chase, Houston, Texas 77027, rather than to Walter.

We're all procrastinators by nature. Now is the time to break this habit by dropping a card to Tommie today. Aside from taking part of the load off the registration committee and avoiding the convention rush, you may find it has paid off in other ways. Some of the tours and activities are limited as to numbers, as are the medals. What is that about the early bird? — DORIS MARTIN, Publ. Chm.

RHODESIAN BANK NOTES

With the dissolution of the Federation of Rhodesia and Nyasaland, the successor states have started to issue their own bank notes. The Rhodesian reserve bank says the old bank notes issued by it will cease to be legal tender after June 1. Such bank notes received after that date will not be accepted for conversion.

NOTES & QUERIES

Restrictive Legislation Opposed

Presumably many collectors know of some of the legislation being proposed on Capitol Hill that relates to coinage and coin collecting. The American Numismatic Association is not in favor of promiscuous hoarding or speculating in circulating U. S. coins. It is in favor of measures aimed at preventing melting of our coins and curtailing their exportation as deemed necessary.

However, the A.N.A. does not subscribe to governmental interference with legitimate collecting or transactions between coin dealers and collectors. Portions of Senate bill 2012 would appear to give the Treasury department authority which could be used to restrict many coin collectors, particularly youths and amateurs from which groups come our future numismatists. The A.N.A. Washington educational committee has been and still is in close touch with Washington officials on this matter. This applies to Senator Bible's bill S. 2012 and a later and nearly identical bill designated S. 2036.

It is suggested that individual collectors write to their respective senators and congressmen, expressing opposition to any legislation which might hamper collectors in the pursuit of their hobby.

Correcting the Corrector

In the May issue, p. 707, Peter Earl corrected the 1965 A.N.A. convention publicity chairman's statement on p. 357 of the March *Numismatist* as to the number of American battleships currently enshrined. Earl said that "I have also been told that the *USS Missouri* berthed in New Jersey is open to the public."

Now comes Stanley A. Stemp who says the *USS Missouri* is not berthed in New Jersey but in the Bremerton naval yards, Bremerton, Wash. The battleship is open to the public. A medal of the *Missouri* is available but Stemp does not state where.

Stemp also calls attention to the *USS Arizona* which was sunk at Pearl Harbor. A shrine has been built over the battleship from whose stern flies the American flag.

Other warships are listed by Stemp as the *USS Constellation*, Baltimore, Md.; *USS Constitution*, Boston naval yards, Charleston, Mass.; *USS Olym-*

pia, Pier 4, Philadelphia; *USS Niagara*, Erie, Pa.; German U-boat, Museum of Science and Industry, Chicago; the schooner *Wawona*, berthed most of the time in Seattle, Wash.; experimental submarine *Intelligent Whale* built in 1864, Brooklyn navy yard.

Next?

Member Clubs Promote A.N.A.

The editor recently received copies of two publications issued by clubs in which A. N. A. promotional items were included. Since most clubs have members who are not members of the Association, this is one way in which our clubs can help boost A. N. A. membership.

The two publications referred to are the *News Bulletin* of the Triple Cities Coin Club of New York state, A. N. A. No. 7427, and *The G.E.N.A. Journal* of Great Eastern Numismatic Association, A. N. A. No. 49848. Fred G. Hunter is president of the Binghamton based club, and Samuel J. F. Burgdorf heads Great Eastern.

This is the kind of teamwork that the national association needs, as contrasted to the "Let George Do It" attitude sometimes encountered. Probably others have given similar help, and their efforts will be acknowledged as noticed.

Letter to the Editor

Dear Mr. Bradfield:

Enclosed are photographs of what, in my opinion, is the granddaddy of all 1955 double strike cents. The coin obviously is most dramatically double struck at the date. The motto IN GOD



WE TRUST reflects four clear strikes, as does LIBERTY and much of Lincoln's profile. The coin is slightly toned and

in about uncirculated condition. The reverse reflects only one striking.—
B. F. FISCHER, LM 395.

Seeks Assistance

Dear Mr. Bradfield:

In connection with a study of Texas postal history, more specifically Galveston's postal history, I have tried to visualize the problems of letter writers during the days of the Texas republic in paying for their postage, and the ways in which they solved their money difficulties.

An article in your magazine by Fred R. Marchhoff in the Sept.-Oct. 1950 issues has been very helpful. I wonder whether you could help me to find an article(s) on the subject depicting a Texas change-note, a McKinney, Williams & Co. change-ticket, or some "Mills' money," all of which were used for small payments in Galveston, Texas, during those years. My purpose would be to get photostatic or Xerox copies of such literature at my expense.—ALEX L. TER BRAAKE, 2523 39th St., Galveston, Texas 77552

A.N.A. Headquarters Committee Considering Colorado Springs

The site selection committee of the American Numismatic Association has encountered serious difficulties in negotiations for a building site in Omaha for the Association's national headquarters and museum. During negotiations it developed that the 27,500 sq. ft. building site offered the Association in Omaha's brochure contained only 9,699 sq. ft. of actual building area. Even if this area could be expanded by the inclusion of portions of certain streets, an alley and other small parcels of property, which may or may not be available under certain conditions in the development of Omaha's Joslyn museum cultural center, the buildable area would still be substantially less than that offered and needed. It was on the basis of Omaha's brochure, which offered the 27,500 sq. ft. of building area, that the A.N.A. board voted at its March 22 meeting to negotiate with Omaha first.

"All the original 27,500 sq. ft. of area is necessary for the A.N.A. building, landscaping, parking and future expansion," said Charles M. Johnson, chairman of the A.N.A. committee. "Since it now appears that this full area will not be available in Omaha's cultural center for a long time, if at

all, the committee has discontinued consideration of Omaha and, pursuant to previous instructions from the board, is proceeding to negotiate for the site offered in Colorado Springs." As previously reported, Colorado Springs was the board's second choice at its March 22 meeting, with Oklahoma City and Kansas City being third and fourth, respectively.

Fall Convention of MSNS in Detroit

The 1965 fall Michigan State Numismatic Society convention will be the outstanding numismatic event of the year in the Wolverine state. Some of the most experienced and talented convention committee members in the midwest have assembled to organize the November show.

When the MSNS selected the Detroit Coin Club to be host to its fall convention, the club asked Dan



Michigan State fall convention Chairman Dan Parker, l., works closely with Ben Stocker, bourse chairman, with assistance from Mary Ellen Frahm of the National Bank of Detroit Money Museum.

Parker to serve as general chairman. Parker has served on countless convention committees in the last decade, working long hours as security chairman for the A.N.A.-C.N.A. convention in Detroit in 1962, and in that capacity for virtually every convention handled by the Detroit Coin Club since 1957. In 1961 and 1962 he was on the exhibits committee for MSNS conventions and in 1963 he was a member of its bourse committee.

Parker has appointed Ben Stocker, possibly the most experienced bourse chairman in the country, to be bourse chairman for this event. He coordinated bourse arrangements for the A.N.A.-C.N.A. convention and for most state and regional conventions held in Detroit in the last 10 years. Stocker

is a past president of both the Detroit Coin Club and the Michigan State Numismatic Society.

The convention will be held November 26-28 at the Sheraton-Cadillac hotel in downtown Detroit. This hotel housed the A.N.A.-C.N.A. 1962 convention and on that occasion its staff demonstrated the ability to handle even the largest of coin shows. Activities for numismatists and their families will be varied. The grand ballroom will house exhibits. The ladies' hospitality committee is planning social activities during the convention weekend. The bourse will be limited to 70 dealers, according to Bourse Chairman Stocker. While it would be possible to arrange for a larger number, the convention committee believes that 70 carefully selected dealers will be able to serve collectors quite adequately without crowding the available space. Dealers who wish to have tables are urged to contact Ben Stocker, 17331 Greenfield, Detroit, Mich. 48235.

Shop Talk

Bebbee's has issued a 108 page supply catalog which, together with its new coins and currency catalog due about July 15, is priced at \$1.00 postpaid. The supply catalog, which is well indexed, covers a wide range of supplies from the garden variety of 2 x 2 paper envelopes to seven pages of magnifiers, and from an "Executive Coin Hobby Kit" at \$26.95 to a Whitman store display rack at \$47.50. Nearly half of it is devoted to numismatic books, including 328 titles priced from 50c to \$42, from the popular "Blue Book" by Whitman to *Cap Badges of the Canadian Expeditionary Forces* and *Catalogo Del Real De A Ocho Espanoles*. Bebee's, Inc., 4514 N. 30th St., Omaha, Nebr. 68111.

Sen. Bible's Bill On Coin Shortages

Senator Alan Bible of Nevada on May 21 introduced a bill (S. 2012) "to prohibit certain practices creating artificial shortages in the supply of coins of the United States," which was referred to the committee on banking and currency. It provides, under penalty of not more than \$10,000 fine or a year in prison or both for violators, that it is illegal to melt silver coins, to make loans on coins, to accumulate coins in excess of reasonable demands of personal or busi-

ness use, to export coins, to purchase and sell coins except where coins are used in jewelry for a price in excess of their monetary value. In every instance the bill exempts coins which because of their rarity have a value to bona fide collectors. The secretary of the treasury is to determine what coins are rare and publish in the *Federal Register* a list of those deemed of numismatic value. (See editorial elsewhere in this issue.)

British Catalog

The 1965 edition of the *Standard Catalogue of British Coins, Vol. 1, England United Kingdom*, excluding Scottish, Irish and Island coinages, edited by Herbert Allen Seaby, 224 pp., halftone illus., clothbound, is available from its publisher, B. A. Seaby, Ltd., 61-65 Great Portland St., London W-1, 41 s, paperbound, 14 s. Containing 3,387 entries, the book gives prices of coins in an average state of preservation from the Gallo-Belgic issues to Elizabeth II. Included are all the main varieties so as to make it a comprehensive type catalog. Illustration, in the main, are excellent and a tribute to the photographic skill of Frank Purvey. The publisher expects to issue a second volume on the Scottish, Irish and Island coins. Recommended. — EGB

Correction

Dear Mr. Bradfield:

We wish to call attention to an error that we made in our advertisement on page 755 of the May *Numismatist*. The ad reads:

"1876 DOLLARS. Serious inquiries are solicited for the only complete set of the Pattern Dollars of 1876 struck in silver."

The word "available" was inadvertently omitted. — A. KOSOFF, P. O. Box 456, Encino, Calif.

Student's Numismatic Library Wins Award

Numismatic books and an interest in Roman coins has led a Rice University student to receive awards for his books and A's for his grades. Louis Hodges, a 22-year-old son of a French professor, both at Rice University, won a second place award in a personal library contest recently. The A's came on a paper on the "Coinage of the Middle East" for an anthropology class in which he had illustrated the essay by attaching actual ancient coins to the paper. The

fifth year student likes anything classical and is working towards a double major in biology and anthropology at the southern university.

The personal library contest, in which Hodges's choice of 35 books from his library of over four score numismatic volumes, was sponsored



Louis Hodges, I., receives second place award in the personal library contest from Hardin Craig, Jr., librarian of Fondren library of Rice University.

by Fondren Library at Rice University. Hodges wrote an essay, as part of the requirements of the contest, in which he explained the usefulness of numismatics to fields such as anthropology — another of Hodges's strong interests — archaeology, symbols, and how coins are frequently the key which unlocks information for the historian.

"The value of these reference books in my hobby cannot be underestimated," he said in his essay. "Each new book opens up another field of interest. In this rapidly expanding field, a personal library is a necessity."

Hodges's numismatic library began in the campus library. He read Sydenham's "Coinage of the Roman Republic," liked it so well he purchased his own copy, which led to a search for other similar books and his own library was born.

Robberies and Thefts

Among the robbery and theft reports in the press recently was the looting of the Yale University library vaults on May 29. According to reports, 5 men secured the night watchman and did a very professional job of safe-cracking and selecting the most valuable and, apparently, most saleable coins from the collection. The burglary of coins, including very rare ancients, from Dr. Judd's home in Omaha on April 10 showed careful

planning and experience also.

Philip J. More in Evanston, Ill., learned that lightning does strike twice when his home was entered May 30 for the second loss of valuable coins and other items from it. In Queens, N. Y. a home was invaded by three men on May 28, 79-year-old Clifford Browne was bound and a relative's coin collection taken. Here again planning appeared to have been done to insure a minimum of resistance to the robbers.

Building Fund

The building fund was increased recently by a donor who was one of the first A.N.A. members to campaign for a permanent headquarters. It is with pride that we can assure this contributor that her early campaign will soon become a reality. This gracious lady made the gift in honor of her late husband, a past president and honorary member of the Association. She is presently confined to the hospital section of the Masonic Home in Springfield, Ohio. Thank you, Mrs. Cora Dell Henderson, A.N.A. No. 1245, for your contribution. — JWO

Treasury Decides Against Producing Silver Dollars

The Treasury May 25 announced that it has decided against the minting of any new silver dollars at this time. Last year, in response to a Treasury request, Congress appropriated \$600,000 to manufacture 45 million silver dollars. To carry out the expressed intent of the Congress, the Treasury recommended to the White House that the United States mint be authorized to begin production. It was on this recommendation that the White House announced May 15th that production could begin.

Since that time, however, members of the Congress who, by reason of their committee assignments have a direct and responsible interest in United States coinage, have strongly urged the Treasury not to proceed with the production of these dollars. After conferring with the White House, the Treasury has therefore determined that the mint will not make any of these dollars at this time. — Treasury department release.

Brazil's New Coinage

Brazil's new 5, 10, and 20 cruzeiro coins will be minted in an alloy consisting of 3 per cent copper and 97 per cent aluminum. The 50, 100, and

200 cruzeiro pieces will be 25 per cent nickel and 75 per cent copper. A 500 cruzeiro coin is in the planning stage. These coins will replace paper notes of the same value, which will be withdrawn from circulation. The only paper currency to be left in use will be the 1,000 and 5,000 cruzeiro bills. A 10,000 cruzeiro note will be available later. (This information comes through the courtesy of Edmundo Fadon Vicente of Sao Paulo, Brazil, with additional credits to Richard W. Scott of London, England, and Everett Northrup of Russellville, Ark.)

Churchill Crown

"A coin dealer is offering 5s pieces, commemorating Sir Winston Churchill, to foreign collectors at 7s. 2d. each — before they have been minted," says the London Daily *Sketch* of May 6. "The final design of the Churchill crown has not yet been approved and the royal mint has not fixed a date for production.

"I know there have been complaints within the trade, but that's jealousy,'...George Hickinbottom of the Universal Coin Company, of Tipton, Staffs., said yesterday. "Ten million of these coins will be produced, I anticipate, so there will be plenty for every dealer. I don't think a dollar a coin is excessive — I've got to make some profit.'" (Courtesy of Michael S. Millward, London)

Arbitration Works for PNG

The first cases to come to arbitration in the Professional Numismatists Guild indicate that this procedure represents a forward step in dealer relations with one another and with collectors. The plan is simple. Each party to a dispute appoints a PNG member to the arbitration board. The two appointees select a third member who acts as chairman. Both parties to the dispute submit all matters to the board, agreeing in advance to abide by the decision.

At the Central States show, two boards acted, settling two disputes. One of these involved a matter 1½ years old.

New Zealand Proof Coins

We understand that the Treasury, Wellington, New Zealand, will soon order proof coins 1965, the last year in which fractional coins from 2s 6d

to halfpenny will be issued in New Zealand.

The Royal Numismatic Society of New Zealand, Inc., Box 23, Wellington, New Zealand, and the Numismatic Society of Auckland, Inc., Box 818, Auckland, New Zealand, have joined in placing bulk orders with the Treasury, Wellington, on behalf of each of their members, irrespective of nationality, for some proof sets and five uncirculated sets (and five rolls if issued) as a minimum. Members will have to make their own arrangements for orders in excess of those indicated.

The government has announced that the public of New Zealand will have first call on the special issue, and that it will encourage the sale of proof sets overseas. No doubt the same procedure will be followed for the proof sets for the first decimal coins to be issued in 1967, from one dollar to one cent.

Greer Medal



Commemorating the annual crowning of the peach festival queen in Greer, S. C., June 12, the Greer Coin Club has struck a medal, as follows: 100 serially numbered sterling silver, 100 serially numbered antique sterling silver, 400 nickel-silver, 400 antique nickel-silver. The sterling silver medal is sold out. Sterling pieces are \$10 each and the nickel-silver are \$2 each, postpaid. Order from Talmadge H. Crisson, 101 Edwards Ave., Greer, S. C. 29651.

MORMON GOLD COINAGE

Because regular U. S. coinage was available only in limited quantities in the early days of the gold mining sections of the west, a number of private companies made gold pieces to overcome the difficulty of paying small debts or making small purchases with gold dust.



Mormon \$20 gold piece

Brigham Young instituted the Mormon gold coinage and personally supervised the mint, housed in a small building in Salt Lake City, Utah. The mint was set up in 1849 as a public convenience, and no charge was made for the service. A mechanic, John Kay, and a jeweler-dentist, James Barlow, were credited with making the dies used in stamping Mormon gold coins, struck in \$2.50, \$5, \$10, and \$20 denominations. All the work was done by hand, using gold dust from the prospector's pouch. If the prospector wished, he could follow the metal from his pouch through the crucible, press and stamp, watching it emerge in the form of coins.

The obverse of the Mormon gold coins show the eye of Providence and the bishop's mitre. The legend around the border reads TO THE LORD HOLINESS. The reverse shows clasped hands in the center, year date 1849 beneath, and in the circle the letters G. S. L. C. P. G. These initials stand for Great

Salt Lake City Pure Gold. And pure gold it was — direct from the prospector's pouch. The small Mormon mint was closed in 1860, when regular U.S. gold coins had come into the territory in sufficient quantities to make private coinage unnecessary and impractical.

Deseret, meaning "honey bee," was the first name given to the organized Mormon territory. Only a few deseret coins have survived to this day, most of them having been melted down or made into jewelry. — HARRY BOSLEY, A.N.A. No. 26180

RED CROSS MEDALS



At the American Red Cross national convention held recently in Detroit's Cobo Hall, attractive Ruth Street, National Bank of Detroit receptionist, is briefed by the Money Museum director, Rear Admiral O. H. Dodson, USN (Retired). The display of Red Cross medals of the world formed by Nate S. Shapero, attracted wide interest among visitors.

Book Reviews

North American Currency: The Standard Paper Money Reference, Completely Illustrated and Priced, by Grover C. Criswell, Jr., 1965, 910 pp., 2188 illustrations, hard cover, Krause Publications, Iola, Wis., \$15.00.

The compiler, Grover C. Criswell, Jr., undertook a heavyweight task with this work and in doing so came up with a 910 page, attractive hard cover book tipping the scales at three pounds plus. But that is not the goal he had set for himself; he planned to list as many notes as possible and price them in very good and new conditions. He achieved his purpose.

"This work is by no means complete, nor is it intended to be," Criswell says in his foreword. "...The great need exists for some manual of general information, and prices on the subject material... I set about compiling... a book which would list the more common varieties of the paper money of North America."

The author gives a fair sampling of the currency of the United States and individual states, CSA paper currency as well as North American colonial pieces and Continental currency, Canadian and Mexican notes. Each type is priced where possible, except for rarities that are infrequently offered for sale. Although \$15.00 may seem high, it is not an unreasonable price when you consider the almost encyclopedic coverage you will receive. — ELSTON G. BRADFIELD.

Penny Whimsy: A Revision of Early American Cents, 1793-1814, An Exercise in Descriptive Classification with Tables of Rarity and Value, by Dr. William H. Sheldon with the collaboration of Dorothy I. Paschal and Walter Breen, reprinted 1965, 340 pp., 51 plates, buckram, Krause Publishing Co., Iola, Wis., exclusive distributor, Anderson News Co., Florence, Ala., \$10.00.

This is a reprint of the standard, definitive work on United States large cents of 1793 to 1814 first issued under the title *Early American Cents, 1793 to 1814* in 1948 and revised in 1957. Collectors of early American coinages will welcome this volume which has been out of print for some time. Krause Publishing Co. is to be commended for making Dr. Sheldon's delightfully written and informative book once more available.

"Here then is a guide to the early American cents, and a key to their rarity and their value," Dr. Sheldon states in the epilogue. "They are an intriguing family and they never die, fade or get broken. Like good jewelry they seem to transcend human mortality and to grow richer with age. There is a time-binding quality and a sense of intrinsic full value or full integrity in an early copper cent that is often found in jewelry, and is not found at all in later money, or in tokens or in bits of postage stamp paper.

"The early cents carry the memory, and an indelible impress, of a little stretch of human time that was fragrant with a high hope. It was the flowering period for what might have become a great people in a land of unmatched beauty. We always live in a valley lying between the nostalgic past and an unknown future. To own a family of the early cents is in some measure to command a causeway between what for Americans is becoming a dearly remembered island of the past, and the grim urban mainland of the future."

And so once again the living copper cents of our early days are brought to the "old boys" as well as the uninitiated through the pages of Dr. Sheldon's book. Whether or not you collect large cents, you will be the gainer if you read Dr. Sheldon's book. — ELSTON G. BRADFIELD

Coins and Collectors, by Q. David Bowers, 1964, board covers, 214 pp., Windsor Research Publications, Inc., Johnson City, N.Y., \$5.95

In a highly interesting fashion a young man presents an old story. The story of money is not a new one but this version has to do largely with coins and collectors in America from the late 1700s to the present. Its stories and anecdotes reflect the growth in coin collecting as a science and hobby. With hundreds of coin illustrations depicting all denominations and metals, the book contains over 200 pages divided into eight chapters.

Chapter one, "The Romance of Coins," is of general nature describing the lure of rare coins, enumerating famous coin hoards, recalling coin rumors. It is quite an amusing collection of fact and fancy. Chapters two through six progress chronologically from Colonial coins, through midcentury revival of interest, the fabulous 1890s, the 1920s, the commemorative era and on through the modern American coin market explosion. Chapter seven is a

complete section on modern world coins. Chapter eight is devoted to coin investment.

The author has carefully blended original stories, and retold tales with an interesting selection of exact reproductions of advertisements of well known coin dealers of the past, as printed in early numismatic publications.

For the new collector the book affords a source of valuable information and enjoyable reading. For the "old timer" the book is a refresher course, many names being mentioned which will return him to yesteryears. — S. W. FREEMAN

(The author will have a supply of these books at his bourse table at the A.N.A. convention in Houston. He will be glad to autograph books at that time.)

Central States 23rd Convention

Attendance at the 23rd annual convention of Central States Numismatic Society, April 23-25 in the Pick-Congress hotel in Chicago, numbered 2300 who registered and paid the \$1.50 fee plus 700 who viewed the exhibits only. Those who took the full registration received attractive badges which included a Lincoln bust medal by the late J. Henri Ripstra.

Many fine exhibits were entered by CSNS members. Art Lovi of Pensacola, Fla., won the best of show award with his collection of American type coins. Other award winners were as follows: U. S. coins — Art Lovi, Irving Moskovitz, L. A. Cook; paper money — James Kirkwood, G. E. Broughton and Bruno Rzepka; foreign coins before 1500 A.D. — George D. Hatie and H. V. Olive; foreign coins after 1500 A.D. — Radford Sterns, Philip L. Budd and J. L. Carney; medals and tokens — Harry Flower, Dr. G. L. Podluskus and Walter P. Huber; Canadian coins — Dr. F. Stephen Epps; miscellaneous — Don Doswell, Larry Brueck and Maurice Burgett; juniors — Ronnie Blascoe, William More and John Laue. In addition there were many fine noncompetitive exhibits by the following: Dennis Anderson, A. R. Birkholz, Gerda Birkholz, James Budd, Continental Illinois National Bank of Chicago, Michael Dolnick, Howard Eisenberg, J. L. Grebinger, International Nickel Co., I. T. Kopicki, Ray O. Lefman, Edward Milas, Irving Moskovitz, Midwest Orders & Medal Society, Richard Peterson, William Pettit, Charles Ricard, Arlie Slabaugh, Louis Sponholtz, Radford Sterns and Frank Zaylik. Most of these were officers or committeemen who were, therefore, not eligible to enter competitive exhibits.

At the Saturday evening banquet the CSNS medal of merit was awarded to Ray Janda of Kansas City and to George D. Hatie of Grosse Pointe, Mich., for distinguished service to the Society. Also at the banquet, President Ralph Hardman of the Heart of America Numismatic Society presented the Stack's numismatic award to Society President Leo Terry who turned it over to President Philip More of the host Chicago Coin Club. This unique award is retained for one year by the CSNS convention host and then passed along at the next convention.

Almost 200 people attended an educational program Friday evening. Under the direction of Mrs. Gerda Birkholz, Mrs. V. Clain-Stefanelli, assistant curator of numismatics at Smithsonian Institution; Kenneth Hallenbeck, Jr. of Fort Wayne, Ind.; and William Pettit of Aurora, Ill., each presented a fine lecture illustrated with slides.

At the Saturday morning business meeting many important matters were discussed, including reincorporation of the Society in either Michigan or Illinois. Legal Counsel George Hatie explained the problems and said he was currently considering the action in Illinois. Other matters considered included the purchase of new exhibit cases, the mandatory registration of all who enter the convention bourse, and convention sites. Future conventions are scheduled in Indianapolis, 1966; Peoria, 1967; Detroit, 1968. Society Honorary President Lee Hewitt related how the organization was started in 1939. All those attending the initial meeting at the Congress hotel 26 years ago were honored at the banquet.

Chairman More and the entire convention committee worked for months on the affair, and the reward was a successful meeting. Although there was rain during most of the three days, the entire supply of registration badges was exhausted. Nor did the rain dampen the spirits of those taking the Chicago tour on Saturday.

CALENDAR OF FUTURE NUMISMATIC EVENTS

- Blanchard Valley Coin Club. 4th annual show, July 10-11, Findlay College Student Union Exhibit Chm. Lowell D. Dorsey, 1133 E. Sandusky St., Findlay, Ohio 45840.
- Key City Coin Club. 5th annual show, July 10-11, Sands Motor Hotel, Abilene, Texas. Chm. D. R. Pratt, 209 N. Mockingbird, Abilene, Texas 79603.
- Alabama Numis. Society. 5th annual convention, July 14-17, Admiral Semmes Hotel, Mobile. Lt. Col. Robert H. Mucha, 1001 W. St. Moritz Dr., Mobile, Ala.
- Central Buckeye Coin & Stamp Assn. 4th annual show, July 17-18, Nat'l. Guard Armory, Bellefontaine. The Assn., P. O. Box 223, Bellefontaine, Ohio.
- Calif. Exonumist Society. Annual show, July 18, Huntington-Sheraton Hotel, Pasadena. Chm. Gilvin A. Ayers, 2345 S. San Antonio, Pomona, Calif. 91766.
- Central Coast Coin Club. 5th annual coin-a-rama, July 24-25, Veterans Memorial Bldg., San Luis Obispo, Calif. Display Chm. Knud Clausen, P. O. Box 1048, San Luis Obispo, Calif.
- Grand Traverse Coin Club. 3rd annual show, July 24-25, Park Place Motor Inn, Traverse City, Mich. Chm. Joe Rogers.
- Mid Hudson Numis. Club. 5th annual jamboree, July 24-25, Governor Clinton Hotel, Kingston, N. Y. Gen. Chm. Jon Herbert, Bearsville, N. Y.
- West Va. Coin & Antique Guild. 2nd annual W. Va. coin show, July 24-25, Daniel Boone Hotel, Charleston. D. C. Bumgardner, P. O. Box 806, Charleston, W. Va.
- Evansville Coin Club. Summer show, July 25, Vendome Hotel, Evansville, Ind. Chm. S. S. Harrison, 1351 Washington Ave., Evansville, Ind.
- Colorado Springs Coin Club. 3rd annual show, July 30-Aug. 1, City Auditorium. Sec. Harvey Black, 8 El Sereno, Colorado Springs, Colo. 80906.
- Blue Ridge Numis. Assn. 6th annual convention, Aug. 5-8, Merchandise Mart, Charlotte, N. C. Director Jeffrey Stewart, P. O. Box 105, Newton, N. C. 28658.
- American Vecturist Assn. Annual convention, Aug. 6-8, Hotel Empire, New York. Chm. Foster B. Pollack, 1841 Broadway, Rm. 808, New York, N. Y. 10023.
- Canadian Numismatic Association. 12th annual convention, Aug. 12-14, Mount Royal Hotel, Montreal. Gen. Chm. Louis Goldsmith, 5251 Sherbrooke St., West, Montreal, Quebec, Canada.
- Tidewater Coin Club. 4th annual show, Aug. 14-15, Lake Wright Motor Lodge, Norfolk, Va. Chm. K. A. Frith, 5940 McGinnis Circle, Norfolk, Va. 23502.
- Rice Capital Coin Club. Show, Aug. 15, West Mill Street Youth Center, Crowley, La. Pres. Walter Leger, 906 Lawson St., Crowley, La. 70526.
- Metro. Washington Numis. Assn. 1st annual show, Aug. 20-22, Sheraton Park Hotel, Washington, D. C. Contact the Assn., P. O. Box 7392, Ben Franklin Sta., Washington, D. C.
- Iosco Coin Club. 3rd annual show, Aug. 21, Intermediate School Gym, Oscoda, Mich. Contact H. C. Nupen, P. O. Box 639, Oscoda, Mich. 48751.
- Missouri Numis. Society of St. Louis. 6th annual festival, Aug. 21-22, Hotel Sheraton-Jefferson. Chm. David L. Cooper, 3500 Ridgedale, St. Louis, Mo. 63121.
- AMERICAN NUMISMATIC ASSOCIATION. SEVENTY-FOURTH ANNIVERSARY CONVENTION, AUGUST 25-28, 1965, SHAMROCK HILTON HOTEL, HOUSTON. GEN. CHM. A. I. MARTIN, 6207 CHEVY CHASE DR., HOUSTON, TEXAS 77027.**
- West Kentucky Coin Club. 2nd annual coinarama, Aug. 28-29, Jaycee Civic Center, Paducah. Bourse Chm. Lee Schroeder, 1100 Jefferson St., Paducah, Ky.
- International Coin Club. Fall show, Sept. 4-5, Sheraton Motor Inn, El Paso, Texas. Sec. W. L. Barry, the Club, P. O. Box 3756, El Paso, Texas 79923.
- Iowa Numis. Assn. Annual convention, Sept. 10-12, Hotel Fort Des Moines. President Des Moines Coin Club Bruce Dyer, P. O. Box 1087, Des Moines, Iowa.
- Virginia Numis. Assn. 7th annual convention, Sept. 10-12, Chamberlain Hotel, Hampton. Chm. Frank Hannah, 50 Fox Grove Dr., Hampton, Va.
- Colorado-Wyoming Numis. Assn. 14th annual convention, Sept. 24-26, University of Colorado, Boulder. Chm. Phyllis J. Smith, 1213 Spruce St., Boulder, Colo.
- Oklahoma-Kansas Numis. Assn. 18th annual convention, Oct. 8-10, Mayor Hotel, Tulsa. Chm. S. M. Durrett, 105 E. Third St., Tulsa, Okla. 74103.
- New England Numis. Assn. 21st annual convention, Oct. 8-10, Hotel Statler Hilton, Hartford, Conn.
- Penn-Ohio Coin Clubs. Convention, Oct. 8-10, Pick-Ohio Hotel, Youngstown. Chm. John T. Bosley, 1524 Hillman St., Youngstown, Ohio 44502.
- AMERICAN NUMISMATIC ASSOCIATION. DIAMOND ANNIVERSARY CONVENTION, AUGUST 17-20, 1966, PICK-CONGRESS HOTEL, CHICAGO. GEN. CHM. HARRY X BOOSEL.**

PERSONAL DATA ON THE CANDIDATES

Following are brief histories of the candidates for A.N.A. offices and governorships based on material submitted by them in accordance with Article V, Section 3, of the Association bylaws. Previous services to the A.N.A. and general qualifications are noted. It is intended to be helpful to the members in making their selections of candidates best qualified to serve.

FOR PRESIDENT and Member of Board

MATT H. ROTHERT Camden, Arkansas. President, Camden Furniture Company. Age 60. Member 13057 (1946). Life Member 219. Author *Guide Book of U.S. Fractional Currency*. Initiated campaign to put "In God We Trust" on U.S. paper money. Chairman, U.S. Assay Commission 1963. Medal of Merit 1960. ANA First Vice President (1963-1965), Board of Governors since 1961, Second Vice President (1957-1961). ANA Committees: Educational Forum (Chairman 1957), Heath Literary Awards. Charter Member and Past President: Arkansas Numismatic Society, and Camden Coin Club. Recipient of Robert Friedberg and Nathan Gold Memorial Awards. Member: ANS, TNA, MANA, MNS, CSNA, OTACS, SOMPC, CNA, MNA, ISNA, LNA, NASC.

FOR FIRST VICE PRESIDENT and Member of Board

ARTHUR SIPE Drexel Hill, Pennsylvania. Age 61. Member 5401 (1936). Life Member 446. Author of articles in *The Numismatist* and *Introduction to Numismatics*. A.N.A. Medal of Merit 1962. A.N.A. Board of Governors since 1957. Committee Chairman: A.N.A. Convention 1957; Educational Forum, Convention Papers, Heath Literary Awards. M.A.N.A. President 1962-1964, Convention Chairman 1962. Past President Philadelphia Coin Club (Charter Member). Member of coin clubs: Hunting Park, Atlantic City, Camden County, Liberty Bell, Philadelphia Electric Company, William Penn, Gettysburg Numismatic Society, Great Eastern Numismatic Association. Honorary Member: Heart of America Numismatic Association, Upper Darby Coin Club for Women and Colonial Coin Club, Philadelphia.

FOR SECOND VICE PRESIDENT and Member of Board

HERBERT M. BERGEN Fullerton, California. Petroleum Geologist. Age 67. Member 7287 (1939). ANA Second Vice President since 1961. Board of Governors since 1963. ANA Committees: (Chairman) Exhibit Rules and Awards 1961-1965; (Chairman) Club Representative Program 1961-1965; (Chairman) *The Numismatist* Improvement 1963-1965; Banquet and Entertainment at 1958 Convention; Resolutions 1959. Editor, Club Bulletin 1961-1965. Past President California State Numismatic Association. Secretary Orange County Coin Club 1947-1965. Associate Member American Numismatic Society. Member: California Exonumist Society, TAMS, Numismatic Association of Southern California and various other local coin clubs.

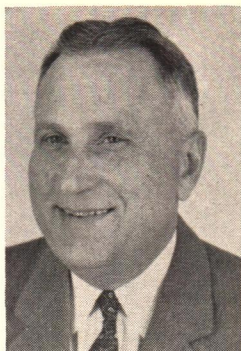
FOR BOARD OF GOVERNORS (six to be elected)

HAROLD H. BERK Residence, Warren, Ohio. Coin Collector and Dealer. Age 49. Member 24946 (1956). Life Member 361. ANA Board of Governors since 1963. Member of Warren Rotary Club, B.P.O.E., Western Reserve Boy Scout Council, Community Chest, President of Warren Urban League. One of founders, Past President, current member Board of Directors of Warren Coin Club. Helped them reach status of "World's Largest Coin Club" with more than 1200 members on membership roll; Awarded Honorary Life Membership. Board of Directors Youngstown Coin Club, Penn-Ohio Coin Club, and Collectors of Numismatic Errors. Member of MANA, CSNA, FUN, Michigan State, NASC, GENA and Sharon Coin Club.

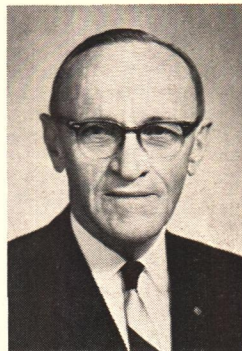
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For President



Arthur Sipe
For 1st V. Pres.



Herbert M. Bergen
For 2nd V. Pres.

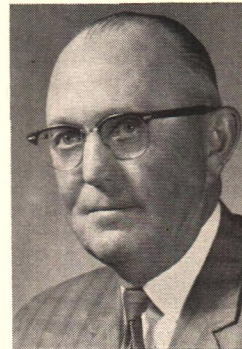
FOR THE BOARD OF GOVERNORS



Harold H. Berk
For Governor



Ray Byrne
For Governor



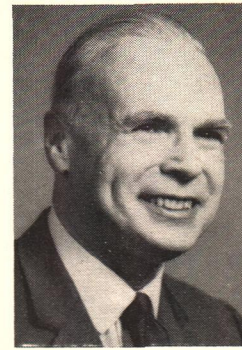
Ralph F. Cleaver
For Governor



Grover Criswell, Jr.
For Governor



Mrs. Virginia Culver
For Governor



George D. Hatie
For Governor

FOR THE BOARD OF GOVERNORS

JOHN H. MORRIS, JR. Residence (Homewood), Birmingham, Alabama. Age 62. Retired plumbing contractor. Active coin collector 50 years. Member 5228 (1936). Life Member 74. Member 1961 U. S. Assay Commission. Attended every ANA National Convention since 1936. Served as ANA District Secretary 1936-1948. Member ANA Board of Governors 1951-1952. Member Society of Paper Money Collectors. Patron ANA Home and Headquarters Building project. Co-founder and President three terms, Birmingham Coin Club. Joint founder and First President of Alabama Numismatic Society. Honorary Member No. 1, Atlanta Coin Club. Member Georgia Numismatic Association.

ELMER G. NELSON Grand Island, Nebraska. Chief Engineer Radio KRGJ. Twenty-one years with the Stuart Stations. Age 43. Member 14676 (1947). Life Member 281. Member Nebraska State Historical Society and North Star Lodge 127 AF & AM, Lincoln, Nebraska. ANA Committees: Publicity (Chairman) ANA Convention, Omaha 1955. First President, current Secretary-Treasurer (1956-1965), Life Member No. 1, Nebraska Numismatic Association; Past President and Charter Member, Lincoln Coin Club; Charter Member, Past President, Past Secretary, Current Treasurer, Grand Island Coin Club. Member: South Central Nebraska Coin Club, Minden Coin Club and Fort Kearney Coin Club.

JOHN J. PITTMAN Rochester, New York. Chemical Engineer. Age 51. Member 9759 (1943). Life Member 152. Author of articles in *The Numismatist*. Member U.S. Assay Commission 1947. Medal of Merit 1962. ANA Board of Governors 1959-1963. Committee Chairman: Visual Education 1958-1964; By-Laws 1961-1963; Study Federal Coinage Regulations 1961-1963. Committees: Charter Renewal 1962; Resolutions 1958; ANA-CNA Convention 1962; Convention Educational Forum 1949, 1958. Past President: Middle Atlantic Numismatic Assoc.; Empire State Numismatic Assoc.; Rochester Numismatic Assoc., Director, Canadian Numismatic Assoc. 1959-1965. Life Fellow American Numismatic Society; Fellow Royal Numismatic Society; Member many Local, State and Regional coin organizations.

E. WARD RUSSELL Silver Spring, Maryland. Electrical Equipment Specialist, U.S. Department of Interior. Age 49. Member 11194 (1945). Member U.S. Assay Commission 1954. Author of several numismatic articles. Coin Counselor of Boy Scouts of America. Second Award National Coin Week 1951. General Chairman National Coin Week 1953. Committees: Election 1950; Proxy Committee 1951. President Gettysburg Numismatic Society. Past President Nation's Capital Coin Club 1963-1964, Washington Numismatic Society 1952-1953, MANA 1953. Member: Montgomery County Coin Club (Maryland), Phoenix Coin Club, Token and Medal Society, Florida United Numismatists, Alexandria Coin Club, Fairfax County Coin Club (Virginia), and Junior Coin Club, Washington, D.C.

GRADY C. SIZEMORE, SR. Residence, Greenville, South Carolina. Retired. Age 61. Member 34882 (1960). Coin Collector. Founder of Blue Ridge Numismatic Association, Inc. and served as General Secretary for four years; current Vice President. Organized several coin clubs in the area.

GEORGE MILLS TODD Atlanta, Georgia. Assistant Vice President Southern Bell Telephone and Telegraph Company. Age 64. Member 7393 (1939). Good Fellowship Award 1961, Medal of Merit 1962. ANA Second Vice President 1941-42. District Secretary for Georgia 1947-48. Board of Governors since 1963. ANA Committees: General Chairman 1961 Convention, Chairman of Bourse Rules, By-Laws Revision, Judging, and of committee to improve Collector Services. Board of Governors Georgia Numismatic Association, Past President and Past Secretary Atlanta Coin Club. Member of numerous clubs and state associations.

RAY WHEELER Residence, Ava, Missouri. ANA Member 46472 (1962). Coin Collector. Age 47. Listed in ANA Membership Directory as the only member from Ava.

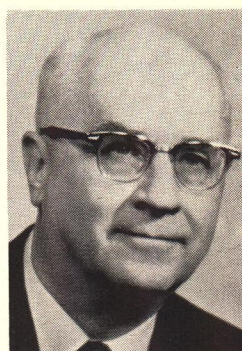
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Mrs. Dorothy Humitsch
For Governor



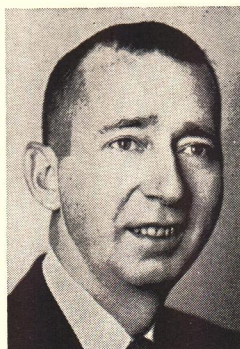
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For Governor



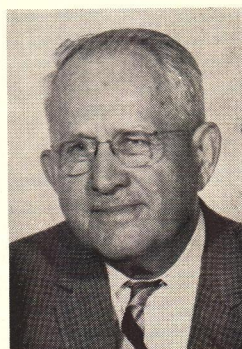
Ray O. Lefman
For Governor



Art Lovi
For Governor



Thomas A. Malanowski
For Governor



A. J. Mitula
For Governor

FOR THE BOARD OF GOVERNORS

RAY BYRNE Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania. Director, Byrne Memorial Home. Age 51. Member 21465 (1953). Life Member 297. Heath Literary Award 1964, Bronze Medal. Latin American Coins Exhibit Award 1964. Author of many numismatic monographs. ANA Committees: Code of Ethics, Heath Literary Awards. Life member and co-chairman Board of Governors Penn-Ohio Coin Clubs, also convention chairman 1958, 1961, 1964. President WPNS 1965. Past President PNS. Fellow of RNS and ANS. Member: MANA, CNA, CSNS, CSNA, TAMS, California Exonumists, Lake Erie Exonumists, Youngstown, Warren, Shenango, FUN, UNE, APIC, AVA, NEVA, Washington Numismatic Society. International Numismatic Society, and organizations of Bermuda, South Africa, Australia, Spain, Mexico.

RALPH F. CLEAVER Brighton, Colorado. Federal Civil Service. Age 50. Member 29431 (1957). Board of Governors since 1963. ANA Committees; Home and Headquarters Steering Committee, also Fund Raising and Site Selection; By-Laws 1963, Awards 1963. Liaison Officer: National Coin Week 1965, and Hall of Fame 1964-1965. Past President Zebulon Pike Coin Club. Member Central States Numismatic Society, California State Numismatic Association, Numismatic Association of Southern California, Colorado-Wyoming Numismatic Association, and many other local and regional organizations.

GROVER C. CRISWELL, JR. St. Petersburg Beach, Florida. Numismatist, author, historian, publisher, public servant. Age 31. Member 19224 (1951). Life Member 268. Specializes in paper money, particularly Confederate and Southern States. Member U.S. Civil War Centennial Commission; Advisory Council and Executive Committee, Florida Civil War Centennial Commission. Candidate U.S. Congress 1962. Nathan Gold Memorial Award, 1965 CSNS Convention for "Advancement of Paper Money Collecting." One of founders of St. Petersburg Coin Club and Florida United Numismatists. Twice Past President of both. Member of approximately 50 other numismatic clubs, organizations and societies.

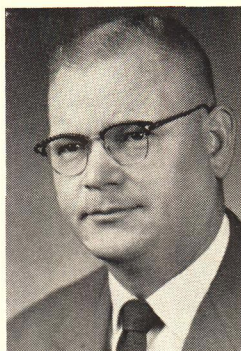
MRS. VIRGINIA CULVER Arcadia, California. Age 43. Member 39457 (1961). Dr. P. B. Wright Award 1962, 1963. Author of articles published in *The Numismatist*, *TAMS Journal*, *Calcoin News*, *Medallion*, *Coin World*, *Numismatic News*. ANA Home and Headquarters Fund Raising Committee. President, National Token and Medal Society, 1st Vice President 1963, Treasurer 1962. Board Member California Exonumist Society, Editor 1962-1964. Treasurer 1961-1964. Associate Member American Numismatic Society. Member: Society For International Numismatists (co-founder, Board Member of San Gabriel Chapter, SIN), California State Numismatic Association, Numismatic Association of Southern California (Board Member). Northern California Numismatic Association, Azteca Numismatic Society, all area TAMS groups, San Gabriel Coin Club.

GEORGE D. HATIE Grosse Pointe Park, Michigan. Corporation Attorney. Age 55. Member 15430 (1948). Life Member 310. Exhibit award winner four years. ANA Committees: Resolutions 1961, Convention Publicity 1962, Home and Headquarters Fund Raising. Past President: Michigan State Numismatic Society 1964, LEES 1963-64, Detroit Coin Club 1964, Grosse Pointe Numismatic Society 1960. Legal Counsel: CSNS 1962-65; prepared or revised By-Laws for CSNS, GPNS, LEES, MSNS. Treasurer: TAMS 1963-65. Governor: SOPMC 1964-65. Chairman: Convention Publicity CSNS, MSNS; Awards MSNS. Honorary Life Member CSNS. Member: Detroit Coin Club, Penn-Ohio Coin Club, MANA, ISNS, CATAMS, NENA, California Exonumist Society.

MRS. DORTHY HUMITSCH Cleveland, Ohio. Home Engineer. Instructor for Advanced Numismatics for Lakewood Board of Education. Age 53. Associate Member 26160 (1956). Author *Coin World* series on arranging programs and ANA exhibits. Delegate and Secretary-Treasurer for Council of Greater Cleveland Coin Clubs (an organization of 11 coin clubs). Greater Cleveland Show General Chairman 1963 and Bourse Chairman 1964. Organizer and first President Lakewood Ohio Coin Club. Speaker at Kiwanis and coin clubs. Member: ANS, MANA, and other local clubs.



John H. Morris, Jr.
For Governor



Elmer G. Nelson
For Governor



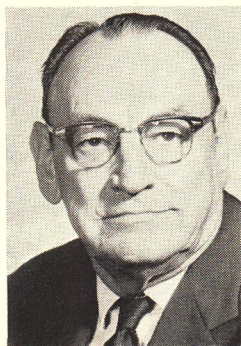
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For Governor



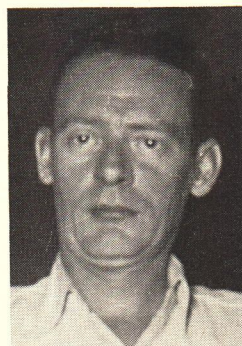
George M. Todd
For Governor



E. Ward Russell
For Governor



Grady C. Sizemore
For Governor



Ray Wheeler
For Governor
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FOR THE BOARD OF GOVERNORS

RAY M. JANDA Kansas City, Missouri. President, Numismatic Display Service. Publisher of Janda's U.S. Coin Check List, 12 years. Member 6064 (1937). Life Member 200. U.S. Assay Commission 1965. Governor CSNS two terms, Past Second Vice President, current First Vice President. Convention Chairman CSNS 1959, 1964. Secretary-Treasurer Des Moines Coin Club 1936. Coin Counselor for Cub Scouts; assisted with organization of coin classes in schools. Co-Chairman Midwest Coin Show 1960. Past officer of Heart of America Numismatic Association; member 27 years.

CHARLES M. JOHNSON Residence, Long Beach, California. Corporation Attorney; California building contractor. Age 57. Member 18738 (1950). Life Member 439. Author many numismatic articles, Heath Award winner and former Assistant Editor *Calcoin News*. Director, Lewis Reagan Memorial Foundation. ANA Board of Governors since 1961. Chairman ANA Reprint Committee which published four volumes of *Selections from The Numismatist*. General Chairman of developing ANA Home and Headquarters project, Fund Raising Drive and Site Selection Committees. Former Director Numismatic Association of Southern California and California State Numismatic Association and general convention chairman. Past President, Long Beach Coin Club. Member American Numismatic Society and other numismatic organizations.

ALEXANDER KAPTIK Residence, Philadelphia, Pennsylvania. Journeyman Millwright. Licensed and bonded auctioneer by State of Pennsylvania. Age 47. Member 16442 (1948). Appointed to the U.S. Assay Commission for 1965. ANA Convention Bourse Chairman 1957. Past President of Hunting Park, Colonial, Levittown and Philadelphia Coin Clubs. Assisted with incorporation and also with writing constitution and By-Laws for many clubs in the Philadelphia area. Current First Vice President of Middle Atlantic Numismatic Association and Sergeant-At-Arms for 11 years.

RAY O. LEFMAN Kansas City, Missouri. Teacher. Age 48. Member 15375 (1948). Life Member 363. U.S. Assay Commission 1963. ANA Committees: Chairman of National Coin Week 1958, Convention Papers 1963 (Chairman), Resolutions 1963-64, ANA Home and Headquarters Fund Raising 1964-1965. President of Central States Numismatic Society 1960-1961, Vice President 1958-1959, Current CSNS Board of Governors. CSNS Medal of Merit 1963. Co-Chairman CSNS Convention 1959, Author of By-Laws and Convention Planning Manual. Past President Heart of America Numismatic Association. Meritorious Service Award 1960. Editor Coin News. General Chairman of several Midwest coin shows. Life Member of CSNS and HANA.

ART LOVI Residence, Pensacola, Florida. Retired Businessman. Age 51. Collector, Exhibitor, Lecturer, Writer, Exhibit Judge and College Numismatic Instructor. ANA Member 36658 (1960). Life Member 472. Holder of over 100 Gold and Silver Awards for displays and for services rendered to Numismatic organizations. Founder, United Numismatic Exhibitors. First Vice-President, Florida United Numismatists. Adult Advisor Young Numismatists of America. Honorary Life Member of 21 State and City Numismatic clubs. Member of 104 International, National, Regional, State and Local organizations.

THOMAS A. MALANOWSKI Residence, Lutherville, Maryland, suburb of Baltimore. Assistant Treasurer and General Superintendent for a Wholesale Distributor of Plywood and Millwork Products. Age 53. Secretary and Director of Savings and Loan Association. Member 22472 (1954). Collector, specialties in Crowns. Member of Middle Atlantic Numismatic Association; MANA Exhibits Chairman 1965. Baltimore Coin Club: Past President, Member of Board of Governors. Member of several coin clubs.

A. J. MITULA Residence, Houston, Texas. Coin Dealer. Age 69. Member 10221 (1944). Writer for the *Houston Chronicle* many years. Member of Central States Numismatic Association, Colorado Springs Coin Club, The Colorado-Wyoming Numismatic Association, Oklahoma-Kansas Numismatic Association, Texas Numismatic Association, Greater Houston Coin Club, Metropolitan Coin Club and Numismatic Association of Southern California.

FINAL NOMINATIONS REPORT

The following nominations for A.N.A. officers for the 1965-1967 term were received. Nominations are now closed. Only nominees who accepted the nominations are listed below.

Nominations are not votes. Election is by mail ballot only and official ballots will be sent to all members in good standing approximately July 20, 1965, and must be returned by mail, in the manner indicated on the ballot, and received by the tabulating firm by August 10, 1965. They may not be delivered in person or at the convention.

Photographs of the candidates and personal data appear below and are intended to assist members in the selection of those candidates best qualified to hold the offices they seek. Care should be taken in making your selection and marking it on the ballot. In each election some ballots are invalid because instructions are not followed.

The numbers below the name of each candidate refer to the nominators, identified below, and in previous issues of *The Numismatist*.

FOR PRESIDENT (and Member of the Board)

Matt H. Rothert.....Camden, Arkansas
6, 9, 14, 17, 20, 23, 24, 28, 29, 31, 35, 52, 55, 59, 60, 61, 62, 66, 70, 74, 99,
105, 107, 116, 117, 119, 122, 123, 124, 125, 126, 130, 148, 153, 159, 160, 173,
176, 177, 184, 185, 186, 193, 194, 198, 205, 209, 212, 219, 220, 221, 222, 224,
225, 226, 230, 234, 235, 237

51 Personal Nominations

FOR FIRST VICE PRESIDENT (and Member of the Board)

Arthur Sipe.....Drexel Hill, Penna.
6, 14, 17, 20, 23, 24, 28, 29, 31, 35, 52, 55, 59, 60, 61, 62, 66, 70, 74, 99,
105, 107, 117, 119, 122, 123, 124, 125, 126, 156, 176, 177, 186, 193, 198, 205,
209, 219, 221, 222, 224, 225, 226, 230, 234, 235, 237

40 Personal Nominations

FOR SECOND VICE PRESIDENT (and Member of the Board)

Herbert M. Bergen.....Fullerton, Calif.
6, 14, 17, 20, 23, 24, 28, 29, 31, 35, 52, 55, 59, 61, 62, 70, 74, 105, 107, 117,
119, 122, 123, 124, 125, 126, 142, 159, 160, 176, 177, 186, 193, 198, 205, 209,
214, 219, 220, 221, 222, 224, 225, 226, 230, 234, 235, 236, 237, 242

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Ray Byrne.....Pittsburgh, Penna.
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48, 50, 54, 56, 57, 58, 60, 66, 70, 77, 78, 83, 90, 99, 117, 119, 121, 122, 123,
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198, 201, 205, 209, 216, 217, 221, 224, 232, 234, 235, 241

19 Personal Nominations

Ralph F. Cleaver.....Brighton, Colorado
6, 14, 17, 20, 24, 28, 29, 35, 52, 55, 59, 60, 61, 62, 70, 74, 105, 107, 116, 142,
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Grover C. Criswell, Jr......St. Petersburg, Fla.
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Mrs. Virginia Culver.....Arcadia, California
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187, 193, 209, 214, 217, 219, 220, 221, 222, 226, 230, 234, 236, 237, 241, 242

38 Personal Nominations

- George D. Hatie.....Grosse Pointe Park, Mich.
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80, 81, 82, 92, 93, 94, 95, 97, 98, 100, 101, 103, 106, 111, 113, 114, 115, 117, 118,
130, 131, 132, 133, 135, 136, 138, 139, 140, 143, 145, 147, 149, 150, 152, 160,
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211, 213, 218, 219, 224, 227, 228, 229, 230, 232, 234, 235, 239, 240, 241
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- Mrs. Dorothy Humitsch.....Cleveland, Ohio
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85 Personal Nominations
- Ray M. Janda.....Kansas City, Mo.
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5 Personal Nominations
- Charles M. Johnson.....Long Beach, Calif.
6, 14, 17, 20, 23, 24, 28, 29, 31, 35, 52, 55, 61, 62, 70, 74, 105, 107, 116, 117,
119, 142, 159, 160, 176, 177, 185, 191, 193, 205, 209, 212, 214, 219, 220, 221,
222, 224, 225, 226, 230, 234, 235, 236, 237, 241, 242
39 Personal Nominations
- Alexander Kaptik.....Philadelphia, Pa.
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1 Personal Nomination
- Ray O. Lefman.....Kansas City, Mo.
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9 Personal Nominations
- Art Lovi.....Pensacola, Florida
8, 44, 99, 122, 123, 124, 125, 126, 148, 155, 178, 179, 186, 194, 198, 226, 231,
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- Thomas A. Malanowski.....Lutherville, Md.
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- A. J. Mitula.....Houston, Texas
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- John H. Morris, Jr.....Homewood, Alabama
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- Elmer G. Nelson.....Grand Island, Nebr.
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- John J. Pittman.....Rochester, N. Y.
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125, 126, 128, 130, 146, 155, 159, 176, 177, 178, 186, 191, 196, 197, 198, 202,
205, 215, 220, 222, 226, 230, 232, 234, 235
65 Personal Nominations
- E. Ward Russell.....Silver Spring, Md.
3, 8, 40, 48, 49, 81, 99, 108, 112, 119, 122, 123, 124, 125, 126, 147, 148, 155,
158, 176, 185, 192, 205, 207, 221, 224, 232, 235
17 Personal Nominations
- Grady C. Sizemore.....Greenville, S. C.
42, 43, 60, 63, 64, 65, 88, 99, 104, 161, 166, 169, 178, 186, 204, 205, 223
160 Personal Nominations
- George M. Todd.....Atlanta, Georgia
6, 14, 17, 19, 20, 24, 28, 29, 31, 32, 35, 39, 52, 55, 60, 61, 62, 70, 74, 104, 105,
107, 117, 160, 164, 168, 177, 185, 186, 191, 193, 198, 205, 209, 212, 217, 219,
221, 225, 230, 237, 241
40 Personal Nominations
- Ray Wheeler.....Ava, Missouri
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1 Personal Nomination

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 149. Laurel Mountains Coin Club
 150. Niagara Frontier Numismatic Association
 151. Valley of the Sun Coin Club
 152. Enid Coin Club
 153. Temple Coin Club
 154. Midland Empire Numismatic Association
 155. Hershey Coin Club
 156. Wm. Penn Coin Club of Philadelphia
 157. St. Petersburg Coin Club
 158. Clearwater Coin Club
 159. Bay Cities Coin Club
 160. Northwest Coin Club (Minn.)
 161. Charlotte Coin Club
 162. Calumet Numismatic Club
 163. Waterbury Numismatic Society
 164. Muscogee Coin Club (Georgia)
 165. Corry Coin Club
 166. East Kentucky Coin Club
 167. Scottsdale Coin Club
 168. Tri City Coin Club (Georgia)
 169. Blount Coin Club
 170. Jackson County Coin Club (Ohio)
 171. San Diego County Inter-Club Numismatic Council
 172. Nashville Coin Club
 173. San Angelo Coin Club
 174. Grand Island Coin Club
 175. Royal Oak Coin Club
 176. Liberty Bell Coin Club
 177. Delaware Valley Coin Club of New Jersey
 178. Cincinnati Numismatic Association
 179. Stoneham Coin & Stamp Club
 180. Imperial Beach Coin Club
 181. Lincoln Coin Club (Mich.)
 182. Ashtabula Coin Club
 183. Westminster Coin Club
 184. Northwest Arkansas Coin Club
 185. Middle River Coin Club
 186. Jacksonville (Florida) Coin Club
 187. Skyline Coin Club
 188. Saginaw Valley Coin Club
 189. Columbia Basin Coin Club
 190. Orangeland Coin Club
 191. Carnegie Coin Club
 192. Salem Coin Club
 193. Jefferson County Coin Club (Colorado)
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 195. New London Coin Club
 196. Albany Numismatic Society</p> | <p>197. Empire State Numismatic Association
 198. North Central Kansas Coin Club
 199. Highland Park Coin Club
 200. North Royalton Coin Club
 201. Tri-County Coin Club (Ohio)
 202. Centreville Numismatic Association
 203. Mt. Idy Coin & Hobby Club
 204. Smoky Mt. Coin Club
 205. Washington Numismatic Society
 206. Coin Club of New Milford, Conn.
 207. Alexandria Coin Club
 208. Greeley Coin Club
 209. Pacific Northwest Numismatic Association
 210. Council of Greater Cleveland Coin Clubs
 211. Northwest Detroit Coin Club
 212. Baltimore Coin Club, Inc.
 213. Collinsville Coin Club (Ill.)
 214. California State Numismatic Association
 215. Nassau Suffolk Coin Club
 216. Youngstown Numismatic Club
 217. Oklahoma City Coin Club
 218. Wayne Y.M.C.A. Coin Club
 219. Longmont Coin Club of Longmont, Colorado
 220. Culver City Coin Club
 221. San Francisco Coin Club, Inc.
 222. Numismatic Association of Southern California
 223. Piedmont Numismatic Society
 224. Laramie Coin Club
 225. Camden County Coin Club of New Jersey
 226. Holland Coin Club
 227. Southeast Coin Club (Bedford, Ohio)
 228. Spink Co. Coin & Stamp Club
 229. Kalamazoo Numismatic Club
 230. Pueblo Coin Club
 231. Louisiana Numismatic Association
 232. West Mifflin Coin Collectors' Club
 233. Old Fort Coin Club, Inc.
 234. New Jersey Numismatic Society
 235. Springfield Coin Club
 236. Southern Hub Coin Club
 237. Torrance Coin Club
 238. Panhandle Coin Club
 239. Downriver Numismatic Association
 240. Hardin County Coin Club
 241. Shelby County Coin Club of Sidney, Ohio
 242. Los Angeles Coin Club</p> |
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74TH A.N.A. CONVENTION PROGRAM

This schedule of convention activities will help you plan your time. Some minor changes may be necessary but this will not affect the main activities. The many and varied events offer interesting prospects with something for everyone. This program will be given more fully and in final form in the convention program booklet being reviewed carefully by the chairmen, Dick Johnson and Bill Logan, III.

There will be a security room available to all A.N.A. members wearing the official convention medal badge. Hours will be from noon on Monday, Aug. 23 to noon on Monday, Aug. 30. More specific information will appear in the booklet. The hospitality room, to be known as the "Money Maids



Dick Johnson, I., and Bill Logan III

Lair," will be open daily. Yes, the fellows will be welcomed, too.

Tuesday, August 24

Pre-Convention Activities

- 10:00 A.M. Registration and service desk open to 5:00 p.m. Tickets available at service desk. Advance registration kits available.
- 10:00 A.M. Professional Numismatists Guild bourse (invitational).
- 1:00 P.M. Placement of exhibits to 5:00 p.m.
- 2:00 P.M. City tour, about two hours, ticket required.
- 6:30 P.M. "Texas Howdy" - Welcome, y'all. Sheriff's Posse Shenanigans.
- 7:30 P.M. Professional Numismatists Guild, members' banquet.

Wednesday, August 25

- 8:00 A.M. Bourse and exhibit rooms open to dealers and exhibitors only.
- 9:00 A.M. City tour, about two hours, ticket required.
- 10:00 A.M. Registration and service desk open. Close at 10:00 p.m.
- 10:00 A.M. Bourse and exhibits open to public. Close at 10:00 p.m.
- 10:00 A.M. Teenagers swimming and shamburger party, ticket required.
- 1:00 P.M. Manned Spacecraft Center tour, back about 5 p.m., ticket required.
- 3:00 P.M. Money Maids Kaffee Klatsche and movie. Surprise for the ladies.
- 7:00 P.M. Auction, first session.
- 7:30 P.M. Money Maids Mixer, how to make friends without trying.
- 10:00 P.M. Registration and service desk, bourse and exhibits close.

Thursday, August 26

- 8:00 A.M. International Organization of Wooden Money Collectors, dutch treat continental breakfast meeting, guests invited.
- 9:00 A.M. City tour, about two hours, ticket required.
- 10:00 A.M. Registration and service desk open. Close at 10:00 p.m.
- 10:00 A.M. Bourse and exhibits open. Close at 10:00 p.m.
- 10:00 A.M. A.N.A. business meeting, first session, members only.
- 11:30 A.M. Young Numismatists of America meeting, guests invited.
- 12:00 Noon Ladies' luncheon, back about 3:30 p.m., ticket required.
- 1:30 P.M. Auction, second session.
- 3:00 P.M. Ancient Coin Club of America meeting, guests invited.
- 3:00 P.M. Money Maids Kaffee Klatsche and surprise activity.
- 3:30 P.M. Token and Medal Society board meeting.
- 3:30 P.M. Domed stadium tour, back about 5:30 p.m., ticket required.
- 8:00 P.M. Educational forum, seating at 7:30 p.m., guests invited.
- Old Time Assay Commissioners Society, members' reception immediately following the educational forum.
- 10:00 P.M. Registration and service desk, bourse and exhibits close.

Friday, August 27

- 9:00 A.M. City tour, about two hours, ticket required.
- 9:30 A.M. A.N.A. awards presentation meeting, guests invited.
- 10:00 A.M. Registration and service desk open. Close at 10:00 p.m.
- 10:00 A.M. Bourse and exhibits open. Close at 10:00 p.m.
- 10:30 A.M. Exhibit judging forum, guests invited.
- 1:00 P.M. Cruise and San Jacinto battlefield tour, back about 5:30 p.m., ticket required.
- 2:00 P.M. Token and Medal Society meeting, guests invited.
- 3:00 P.M. Money Maids Kaffe Klatsche and movie. You'll like this.
- 7:00 P.M. Society of Paper Money Collectors, dutch treat social hour and dinner meeting.
- 7:00 P.M. Token and Medal Society, dutch treat social hour and dinner.
- 7:30 P.M. Money Maids Vegas party.
- 10:00 P.M. Registration and service desk, bourse and exhibits close.

Saturday, August 28

- 8:00 A.M. A.N.A. Club Representatives' breakfast meeting, ticket required.
- 10:00 A.M. A.N.A. business meeting, final session, members only.
- 10:00 A.M. Registration and service desk open. Close at 5:00 p.m.
- 10:00 A.M. Bourse and exhibits open. Close at 5:00 p.m.
- 10:30 A.M. Money Maids Meandering, browse and shop, back about 1:30 p.m.
- 1:30 P.M. United Numismatic Exhibitors meeting, guests invited.
- 2:30 P.M. Museum tours - Fine Arts, Natural History, Planetarium. Back about 4:30 p.m., ticket required.

Grand Finale

- 6:30 P.M. Aquatic show and social hour. Banquet ticket includes this treat, honoring our new president and his lady.
- 8:00 P.M. Banquet, seating at 7:30 p.m. Entertainment, Surprises, Dancing
- Midnight Auld Lang Syne.

Sunday, August 29

Post-convention Mexico tour. Sponsored by Krause Publications. Make your arrangements direct with Krause Publications.

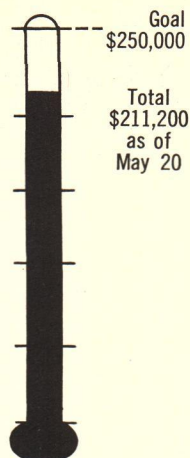
It would not be possible to put into words the pulsating, many-faceted activities of this convention. So here's what to do: Come and take part in your convention. Houston awaits you.

TIBERIAS MEDAL



The Tiberias coin-medal, third in a series of nine, has recently been issued according to the Israel Government Coins and Medals Corp., 850 3rd Ave., New York, N.Y. Designed by Harcedhai Gumpet and Alex Berlyne, the piece is available in bronze at \$4 and in silver at \$14. Diameter is 45 mm.

A.N.A. BUILDING FUND



A National Home and Headquarters will:

- ▶ Make possible more and better services to A.N.A. members through increased efficiency and consolidation of scattered facilities and personnel;
- ▶ Provide for expected rapid growth and expansion of A.N.A. and its programs;
- ▶ House the nation's largest circulating numismatic library and improve the dissemination of numismatic knowledge and information through its audio-visual program and its publications;
- ▶ Provide for the establishment of a national numismatic museum;
- ▶ Be a symbol of the importance of the collecting and study of money from the dawn of civilization to the present and tomorrow;
- ▶ Afford every member an opportunity to have a tangible part in the A.N.A. for its betterment and the advancement and enjoyment of numismatics on a nationwide scale.

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250 Clubs — Wichita Coin Club, Detroit Coin Club, McKeesport Coin Collectors Club, Milwaukee Numismatic Society, Colorado-Wyoming Numismatic Association, Heart of America Numismatic Association, Zebulon Pike Coin Club, Numismatic Association of Southern California, Hutchinson Coin Club, Middle Atlantic Numismatic Association, Rochester Numismatic Association, Pueblo Coin Club, Arkansas Valley Coin Club, Louisiana Numismatic Association, Omaha Coin Club, Chicago Coin Club, Denver Coin Club, Newton Coin Club, Boeing Coin Club, Evansville Coin Club, Oak Park Coin Club, Texas Numismatic Association, Pine Bluff Numismatic Society, and California State Numismatic Association.

Best Month Yet for Building Fund

Building Fund General Chairman Charles M. Johnson, the fund raising committee, as well as over 2,000 contributors and all A.N.A. members are watching the drive thermometer on this page to see if it will break out

the top by the time of the Houston convention. With only about eight weeks left, this is the goal for which everyone is working. If it can be accomplished in one short year, between the Cleveland and Houston

conventions, it will be a significant achievement for numismatics and the A.N.A. in which all numismatists can take justifiable pride. It will establish the vitality and provide the financial basis for a big step forward in the advancement and enjoyment of numismatics, which can be celebrated proudly at the Houston convention.

All those, and we are sure there are many, who expect to become contributors but who have been putting it off should send in a check or numismatic gift right now to Exec. Sec. Don Sherer, P. O. Box 16243, Phoenix, Ariz. 85011, by July 31 to have it included in the special report to be made at the Houston convention. Get your name on the honor roll of contributors published in *The Numismatist* and entered in the book of honored donors that will be encased with a memorial plaque in the new headquarters building. Become a patron (donor of \$2,000 or more) or benefactor (donor of \$10,000 or more) and have your name on the special bronze plaque for all time. See that your club becomes a 250 Club and is also named on the plaque.

Our campaign has been a real success so far due to the fine response of its members. In the past month \$31,459.70 were received from 125 contributors, including two benefactors, three patrons and two 250 Clubs for one of the best months yet. In addition, \$6,097.00 were transferred to the fund in accordance with the board's instructions to allocate 10% of dues and admission fees. This covers the period from the first of the year to April 30.

Two New Benefactors

Among contributions of special note was Grover C. Criswell's \$12,486 worth of Confederate States material for the convention auction.



Grover Criswell

Criswell is widely known among collectors as a dealer, exhibitor and writer in the C.S.A. and southern states field of numismatics. In making the gift, he wrote: "I have been interested for many years in seeing fine and valuable collections housed in appropriate places for educational purposes. I am vitally interested in the A.N.A. home and headquarters as such a depository, and am

pleased to help the project along."

Receipts from the sale of two platinum medals donated by the National



John Wm. and Pat Barber

Commemorative Society to the fund brought benefactor status to it. Added to three such medals previously sold and reported, the fund has now received \$10,725 in cash from this Society. It will be remembered that the Society, in donating these platinum strikes of its regular issues of commemorative medals, agreed to buy them back at \$2,000 each if there was no bidder in excess of this amount. The five have realized from \$2,075 to \$2,300 each in five different auctions. The NCS will continue to donate medals from its future issues to the fund until the latter reaches the \$250,000 goal, at least.

Three New Patrons

Amon Carter, the highly regarded Texas collector, contributed an 1851 gold \$50 coin, valued at \$2,000, to the fund to become a patron. As an outstanding collector of large size U. S. paper money, as well as coins, Carter will be remembered by many for his exceptional exhibits at A.N.A. conventions.

John William and Mrs. Barber, owners of the Barber Coin Co. of Denver, Colo., since 1959, achieved patron status also by donating coins valued in excess of \$2,000 to the fund. Stating that he specializes in world proof sets, Barber said merely "You may rely on my full support."

The well known brother team of Art and Paul Kagin became the first top bracket donor in Iowa when they sent numismatic items valued at over \$2,000 for the auction. They have been prominent in numismatic circles since establishing the Hollinbeck Kagin Coin Co. in Des Moines nearly 20 years ago.

And There Are Others

Every one of the more than 2,000

individuals, clubs and firms that have been listed as contributors has had a part in making this drive a success. The list this month includes two new



Arthur M. and Paul S. Kagin

250 Clubs: the Pine Bluff Numismatic Society in Arkansas and the California State Numismatic Society that added \$150 to its \$100 contribution for which No. 2 receipt was issued.

Two contributors of material valued at \$1,000 each were received for the auction from Don Thompson, A.N.A. 32894 of Reno, Nev., and from B. M. Douglas, prominent Washington, D. C., dealer.

Yes, from a dollar standpoint the drive has been a success to date. But the fact remains that fewer than 10% of the members of A.N.A. have contributed. What about the nine out of 10 who cannot take any personal credit for giving material support to their Association? It isn't too late to help reach the goal by convention time and be among those who can say "I did my part." Even if those nine out of 10 contributed only \$10 each, the drive would go over the top, and not a cent would be wasted. Send a check or money order, payable to the American Numismatic Association, to Don Sherer, P. O. Box 16243, Phoenix, Ariz. 85011. You be the judge of the amount, but do it now!

The honor roll of contributors during the last month follows:

No.	Name and Location	Cash	Coins, etc.
1982	Ted N. Weissbuch, Ph.D., Pomona, Calif.		100.00
1983	Earl Schill, Detroit, Mich.		250.00
1984	Anonymous	25.00	
1985	Mr. and Mrs. D. W. Parnell, Dallas, Texas	25.00	
1986	Dr. L. D. Anderson, Iowa City, Iowa	10.00	
1987	G. Strausser and A. W. Gray, Minneapolis, Minn.	10.00	
1988	Harley E. Amick, Kimball, Nebr.	10.00	
1989	Greeley Coin Club, Greeley, Colo.	107.63	
1990	Albion Coin Club, Albion, Mich.	10.00	
1991	Junction City Fort Riley Coin Club, Junction City, Kans.	25.25	
1992	Kendall Lee Ballard, St. Anthony, Idaho	10.00	
1993	Herman A. Swanson, Attumwa, Iowa	10.00	
1994	Harry A. Booras, Shreveport, La.	10.00	
1995	Miss Elvira Magno, East Orange, N. J.	10.00	
1996	The Coin Club of Allentown, Allentown, Pa.	25.00	
1997	Central Texas Coin Club, Brownwood, Texas	25.00	
1998	Central Florida Coin Club, Orlando, Fla.	25.00	
1999	Economy Coin Club, Ambridge, Pa.	10.00	
2000	Central Coast Coin Club, San Luis Obispo, Calif.	10.00	
2001	Montgomery Coin Club, Montgomery, Ala.	10.00	
2002	Forest City Coin Club, Forest City, Iowa	50.00	
2003	R. J. Phares, Des Moines, Iowa	10.00	
2004	Mrs. Cora D. Henderson, Springfield, Ohio, Memorial to Dr. John M. Henderson	20.00	
2005	Mrs. Anna A. Bovee, Tucson, Ariz.	10.00	
2006	Michael Granis, Brooklyn, N. Y.	10.00	
2007	Matt A. Gajewski, M.D., Buffalo, N. Y.	10.00	
2009	Sol Taylor, Whittier, Calif.	22.40	
2010	James L. Betton, Jr., Santa Monica, Calif.	10.00	
2011	John A. Wafer, Cuyahoga Falls, Ohio		37.50
2012	Dr. Philip W. Whiteley, Denver, Colo.		63.50
2013	Rev. L. J. Berghthold, Richard, Iowa		25.00
2014	Dr. D. V. Boardman, Winona, Minn.		10.00
2015	Milton C. Blackman, Salem, Ore.		40.00
2016	Felix J. Polek, Braddock, Pa.		10.00
2018	Walter P. Bohler, Fort Collins, Colo.		50.00
2019	1st Sgt. Pete Comico, Fort Hood, Texas		15.00
2020	Robert T. Butler, Santa Clara, Calif.		16.00
2021	Karl Welsh, Helena, Mont.		110.00
2022	David E. Jones, Madisonville, Ky.		100.00
2023	Robert P. Whitmore, Peoria, Ill.		150.00
2024	Lionel F. Clukey, Brunswick, Maine		125.00
2025	Charles E. Herring, Farmington, N. M.		325.00
2026	T. T. Moore, Ashland, Ohio		150.00
2027	Robert S. Porter, Jr., Brackenridge, Pa.		140.00
2028	Wallace Davis, Houston, Texas		100.00

No.	Name and Location	Cash	Coins, etc.
2029	Joseph Oakes, Milwaukee, Ore.		100.00
2030	Frank Barnhill, Houston, Memory of Dr. Geo. F. Heath		100.00
2031	Philip H. Chase, Wynewood, Pa.		225.00
2032	Lloyd Barnes, Durango, Colo.		100.00
2033	Edwin Marshall, Phoenix, Ariz.		175.00
2034	Jackson C. Storm and Roger J. Storm, Glen Cove, N. Y.		200.00
2035	Ralph A. Mitchell, Fullerton, Calif.		75.00
2036	Edgar Ford, Lamar, Colo.		100.00
2037	John R. Slusher, Portland, Ore.		125.00
2038	Sharretts, Greenville, Pa.		125.00
2039	Don Thompson, Reno, Nev.		1,000.00
2040	B. M. Douglas, Washington, D. C.		1,227.50
2041	Amon Carter, Fort Worth, Texas		2,000.00
2042	Barber Coin Company, Denver, Colo.		2,115.00
2043	Grover C. Criswell, Jr., St. Petersburg Beach, Fla.		12,486.00
2044	Norman Shultz, Salt Lake City, Utah		250.00
2045	Mrs. Midge Lewis, Denver, Colo.		45.00
2046	A. W. Scott, M.D., Richfield, Utah		12.00
2047	Kagin Coin Company, Des Moines, Iowa		2,029.00
2048	A. Monarque, Nogales, Ariz.		20.00
2049	Ernesto O. Araujo Villagran, Montevideo, Uruguay		225.00
2050	National Commemorative Society, Philadelphia, Pa.	2,300.00 (medal)	
2051	V. Leon Belt, Phoenix, Ariz.	(Not Building Fund)	
2052	Altoona Coin Club, Altoona, Pa.	20.00	
2053	Western Gateway Coin Club, Inc., Scotia, N. Y.	15.00	
2054	Southern Idaho Coin Club, Inc., Boise, Idaho	10.00	
2055	Wapsie Coin Club, Independence, Iowa	25.00	
2056	West Coast Numismatic Assoc., San Jose, Calif.	25.00	
2058	Puget Sound Numismatic Society, Bremerton, Wash.	10.00	
2059	Birmingham-Bloomfield Coin Club, Birmingham, Mich.	25.00	
2060	Commodore Perry Coin Club, Perry, N. Y.	15.00	
2061	Monterey Park Coin Club, Rosemead, Calif.	10.00	
2062	Meridian Area Coin Club, Meridian, Miss.	10.00	
2063	Pajaro Valley Coin Club, Watsonville, Calif.	25.00	
2064	Greater Lowell Numismatic Assoc., Lowell, Mass.	50.00	
2065	Greenbelt Coin Club, Vernon, Texas	50.00	
2066	Clarion Coin Collectors, Clarion, Iowa	56.15	
2067	Donald W. Watts, Clarion, Iowa	10.00	
2068	Heart of America Coin Co., Kansas City, Kans.	22.07	
2069	Otis W. Brown, Florence, Ala.	10.00	
2070	Hubert A. Tyer, Sun City, Calif.	15.00	
2071	William A. Striggle, South Whitley, Ind.	10.00	
2072	Frank Smith, Crockett, Texas	10.00	
2073	John L. Harris, Jr., Northwoods, Mo.	10.00	
2074	Irving Vengrove, New York, N. Y.	20.00	
2075	Clarence E. Heppner, Seattle, Wash.	10.00	
2076	Byron Johnson, Seattle, Wash.	25.00	
2077	Omaha Coin Dealers, Assoc., Omaha, Nebr.	309.00	
2078	Benjamin G. Egerton, Baltimore, Md.	10.00	
2079	Robert V. Alexander, Spokane, Wash.	10.00	
2080	Mrs. Irene M. Alexander, Spokane, Wash.	10.00	
2081	Michael Egan, New York, N. Y.	25.00	
2082	Daniel A. Reeder, Walla Walla, Wash.	20.00	
2083	John M. Barnes, Douglaston, N. Y.	10.00	
2084	Mrs. T. H. Abney, Bainbridge Island, Wash.	12.00	
2085	George W. Paxson, Monroe, Mich.	10.00	
2086	National Commemorative Society, Philadelphia, Pa.	2,125.00 (medal)	
2087	C. L. Stratton, Los Angeles, Calif.	10.00	
2088	San Gabriel Valley Coin Club, Los Angeles, Calif.	25.00	
2089	Northwest Arkansas Coin Club, Fayetteville, Ark.	20.00	
2090	Nebraska City Coin Club, Nebraska City, Nebr.	50.00	
2091	Anthracte Coin Club, Hazleton, Pa.	10.00	
2092	Club of Illinois Numismatists, Flossmoor, Ill.	20.00	
2093	New Jersey Numismatic Society, East Orange, N. J.	25.00	
2094	Newton Coin Club, Newton, Iowa	10.00	
2095	Coeur d'Alene Coin Club, Coeur d'Alene, Idaho	10.00	
2096	Oroville Coin Club, Oroville, Calif.	20.00	
2097	Women's Coin Club of Upper Darby, Upper Darby, Pa.	15.00	
2098	Benton Harbor-St. Joseph Coin Club, Mich.	10.00	
2099	Queens County Coin Club, Ozone Park, N. Y.	75.00	
2100	Pine Bluff Numismatic Society, Pine Bluff, Ark.	250.00	
2101	California State Numismatic Assoc., San Jose	150.00	
2103	K. K. Lee, Los Angeles, Calif.		130.00
2104	Wm. G. Bruce, Ashtabula, Ohio		40.00
2105	Willis J. McKinney, Albany, N. Y.		56.25
2106	Terrell A. Blake, Safford, Ariz.		18.00
2107	Seattle C. in Club, Seattle, Wash.		100.00
Nos. 2008, 2017, 2057, 2102	— each less than \$10.00	19.45	5.00
Cash and coins received in this report, donors 1982-2107		6,558.95	24,900.75
Previously reported receipts, including interest earned, etc.		102,883.71	67,046.40
Totals, incl. 10% dues and admissions, Jan. 1-Apr. 30, 1965 ..		\$115,539.66	\$91,947.15
Unpaid balance of pledges made		\$ 3,693.00	

Numismatic Vignettes

■ Where's the gold that was in Fort Knox? Recent reports from the Treasury give some clues, such as that net sales to other governments in 1964 amounted to a little over one million ounces and that domestic use for industrial, professional and artistic purposes was another two and one-half million ounces. The latter was up 29% from 1963. The big purchaser was France (over 11½ million ounces) who still owes Uncle Sam about four and one-half billion (not million) dollars for advances made to her during World War I. Treasury statistics reveal that only 15 years ago our gold stock stood at just over 700 million ounces. Although the drain has been reduced markedly in the last two years, this same stock was down to 442 million ounces at the end of 1964, 63% of what it was 15 years ago. We aren't quite in the plight of Old Mother Hubbard but the gold and silver bins are not full, to say the least.

■ The attempt to redeem a few silver certificates reminded us of tales of the days when banks issued their own notes and promised to redeem them in hard money on demand. In more than one case a bank that was short of coin would count out the smallest it had one by one for a little while and then close for the day. Such tactics made the redemption process slow, discouraging note holders from converting large amounts of paper to coin.

In the present situation, we learned first that silver certificates can't be redeemed by mail. A friend in the Treasury building in Washington was willing but was blocked by the ruling that the exchange will be made only at the assay offices in New York and San Francisco. So we sent the certificates to another friend in New York but he was allowed to present only \$1 at a time. To speed the process, he enlisted the aid of others and so six people presented one certificate each to get the six little bags of silver for us and friends. And we call this the jet age — the space age!

■ "The Director (of the Mint) is sorry to observe that the practice of melting down the coin of the United States, by workmen in gold and silver, is, he fears, becoming too common, to the manifest loss of the United States.

As there are not any laws prohibiting it, everyone is left to his own discretion,...."

This statement was made on New Year's Day, 1800, according to Schilke and Solomon in *America's Foreign Coins* to President John Adams. Oddly, "there are not any laws prohibiting it" to this day, 165 years later. But it is almost certain that Congress will include such an injunction in the provisions for replacing our .900 fine silver coins.

■ True merit, like a river, the deeper it is, the less noise it makes. (Charles Montagu Halifax)

■ A plea: Be careful of statements you put on paper for publication. Spoken words may be checked later by listeners, feeling that they may have misunderstood what was said, or forgot a detail or fact. But what we see in print — ah, that's a different thing. We can point to it and say, "See, I'm right, here it is in black and white."

While editing club news for *The Numismatist*, I am often struck by the carelessness of some reporters. Many actual examples could be cited but a few will suffice to illustrate the point. A recent report referred to the "Norman" church, when it was the Mormon church that the speaker mentioned in his talk. The reference to the "Norman" church twice in the typed report dispelled the excuse that it was a typographical error. Another account contained several erroneous statements about current paper money, the subject of a club talk. When the reporter's attention was called to them, the appreciative reply stated that "the report was written from meager notes and memory, on a subject with which I am not familiar." Here were just about all the ingredients for making incorrect statements.

Nor are inexperienced writers the only ones whose slips show now and then. The publication of a staid historical society recently reported "'In God We Trust' was used for the first time in 1865 on a three-cent piece." A double header! The same article had \$2 silver certificates in circulation today.

My plea: Be careful of what you say; be sure of what you publish. Published errors are apt to become accepted "facts." — GLENN S.

PROPOSALS FOR POSITIVE ACTION BY THE A.N.A.

By

JOHN J. FORD, JR., LM 250

At the first PNG show in Chicago, I was one of the speakers on the educational program. In a casual reference to the A.N.A. during my talk on March 6th, I was challenged from the floor by A.N.A. Governor Charles Johnson of Long Beach, Calif. In an exchange which became rather heated, I lambasted the Association for doing nothing, or the closest thing to it. My strong words received extensive publicity, and, in turn, I received a large amount of mail concerning my remarks. Luckily, almost all of the comments were favorable, but a number of people asked if I had a specific program, beyond the suggestions I made in Chicago concerning plans to fight counterfeiting.

Upon the suggestion of my friend and associate, Charles Wormser, I jotted down some concrete thoughts relative to a three point A.N.A. program, aimed at improving the present state of the hobby and the coin business. Early in April, I wrote to various A.N.A. officials and others, asking them to meet me at the Central States convention in Chicago.

Several of the people I wrote to had planned to come to the CSNS meeting, and on Wednesday evening, April 21st, I met with Matt Rothert, Elston Bradfield, S. W. Freeman and Glenn Smedley. I presented my ideas to these gentlemen, and we discussed them until early the next morning. Subsequently, while in Chicago, Matt Rothert and I further discussed the program with Abe Kosoff, president of PNG, and it was explained to Margo Russell, executive editor of *Coin World*. All of the people involved were highly interested, and seemed quite enthusiastic.

During the course of the convention at the Hotel Congress, Matt Rothert, S. W. Freeman and I discussed the three point program at length with Charles Johnson, over the telephone, as he could not attend the Chicago show. Governor Johnson, while the symbolic target of my accusations at the PNG meeting, is actually one of the most capable people presently serving the A.N.A., as has been proved by his work in establishing a national home. We wanted his reaction to the propositions that had been developed,

and to establish a means of further developing them for presentation to the Association. Johnson told Matt Rothert and I that he had already prepared a program for a numismatic authentication service, which he intended to publish in an early issue of this magazine. As a result of our telephone conference, Charles Johnson withdrew his proposal, and both he and I planned to get together and combine our ideas.

The three point program that I brought to Chicago the second time was basically a simple outline that could be built upon. The first part of it is concerned with a regulatory organization of the numismatic business and its dealers in this country by the American Numismatic Association. After many good suggestions by Matt Rothert, and others, it was decided to call the end result of this first proposition, the ANA - Credit, Ethics, Performance Administration, or ANA - CEPA.

The second part of the program received the title ANA - BONA from Matt Rothert. This is an abbreviation for the ANA - Bureau of Numismatic Authentication, which would concern itself, in essence, with the establishment of an authentication and registration office at the national home of the Association. Such an office would issue certificates of record for numismatic items, which would be a service for a set fee that provided proof that the coin, or whatever, had been recorded by the A.N.A. The certificate would have affixed to it an enlarged photograph of the piece, the weight of a coin by electronic scale, and a brief, identifying description of the item. BONA would also issue certificates of authentication, which would be more complex and more expensive than the ones for record only. In addition to the information contained on the simpler document, these would have the specific gravity of the piece with perhaps technical data concerning the metal or paper of which it was made, a detailed description of the subject coin or note, complete with its history and pedigree, and the signatures of three out of five members of a committee of experts for the series in which the

item belongs. This bureau would have a director and a clerical staff, and would provide its services for A.N.A. members only. It would work in conjunction with the International Dealer's Association, and perhaps the American Numismatic Society. It is hoped that a plan could be established that would even have the IAPN issue similar certificates, with experts from all countries participating in the program.

The third and final part of the proposed program is concerned with the establishment of a National Information Office in Washington, D. C. Short title names for this program so far range from ANA - NIO to ANA - WIN (Washington Information - Numismatics). Such an office would be a simple affair set up to provide representatives of the government and their offices with accurate information concerning numismatics, and to obtain for collectors and dealers information in turn concerning governmental activities as they pertain to coins, paper money and related items. The director of this office would be, in effect, a paid lobbyist for the A.N.A. and established numismatics in the U. S. I first proposed this idea in 1962, at the Detroit A.N.A. convention, but since the then choice of a proposed ANA Washington representative was not a popular one, the idea died with the board of governors. It pains me to think of how valuable the existence of such an office would have been during the intervening years, but indications are that we will possibly have a greater need for national representation in the future.

The three parts of the program have been presented here in the probable order of an immediate need for their implementation. Although all three propositions are believed important, it was felt by those who discussed them at the CSNS show that the organization and regulation of the coin trade was a first order of business. In addition, the detailed plans for ANA - BONA and an office in the national capital have to be worked out, the former being in the

works at this writing, in conjunction with Charles Johnson.

In the interest of proposing something clearly tangible at the earliest possible date, a detailed exposition and plan for the first proposal in the three part program has been prepared. The presentation of this plan for ANA - CEPA is intended to be nothing more than a proposal. It gives all of the members of the A.N.A., their officers, and every coin dealer in the country, something to talk about. As presented, it may be too sophisticated, or too drastic, or anything but perfect, although many important people in the industry have made suggestions and have helped in its formation. This program for a credit, ethics, performance administration is given in the hope that everyone, while praising or damning it, will recognize that something is needed, and will commence to build upon it in a constructive manner, for if nothing else, it represents a start in the only direction that we can possibly go. The A.N.A. may end up with a completely different program for the American numismatic hobby and trade, or it may end up with none.

Copies of this introduction and the proposed ANA - CEPA program have been sent to the 1965 candidates for the A.N.A. board of governors and other offices. These gentlemen may wish to comment upon it this month, prior to the meeting in Houston. Copies have also been sent to the major numismatic publications and readers of *The Numismatist* with an interest in whatever reaction (or lack of it) there might be to this program. Commentary concerning it may be found on the pages of the *Numismatic Scrapbook*, *Coin World*, and the *Numismatic News*, within the next few weeks.

In closing, I would like to thank Charlie Johnson for challenging me in Chicago last March, which started the ball rolling, and for the patient cooperation of all who have helped put the present offering together (such as it is), from Matt Rothert to long time ANA legal counsel, Max Schwartz.

American Numismatic Association - Credit, Ethics, Performance Administration

A. REASONS FOR, AND PURPOSES OF, THE A.N.A.-C.E.P.A.

I - Reasons for the Formation of A.N.A.-C.E.P.A.

Probably the most prominent reason would be an intention to bring order and responsibility into an industry that has not only grown too fast,

but which unfortunately has been infiltrated by individuals motivated almost entirely by greed. A semblance of regulatory order, of basic business organization and policing, for the good of all, can only be instigated and operated by an impartial collectors group. Dealer or trade organizations can easily operate within a collector oriented system of industry guidance and control, presumably by policing their own members and by helping to formulate policies for the Association.

All dealers are not the same. Some have more knowledge, experience, facilities and assets than others. A few are financially and/or morally irresponsible. Several do not realize that service and responsibility are trade requirements, and that they must attempt to put something into the hobby and business that they try to take so much out of. Collectors and part time dealers have comparable and not dissimilar responsibilities. There is a need for a central credit bureau for the numismatic trade. With coin robberies more and more prevalent, there is a need for an industry wide clearing house, listing and disseminating information on stolen property. Finally, now that the lust for profit through the promotion and sale of newly manufactured items has extended from individuals to governments, it is clearly necessary to inhibit the sale of any such detrimental merchandise within the market area which most of it is so clearly created for.

The advertising of not only outright frauds should be curtailed, but fantasy, ephemeral and reissued material should only be offered or handled under the most stringent scrutiny and control. In many instances, the promotion and sale of such material should be prohibited. The sale of numismatic material should be, in all aspects, predicated solely upon the ultimate satisfaction, well being and edification of the collector, the true consumer of the numismatic trade. Self correcting economic features of the retail coin business are not enough to balance out or correct the extremes and excesses of today's markets. Regulations are of little meaning without adequate disciplinary powers. A numismatic industry, organized, briefed, policed and disciplined from within, can better withstand the inevitable regulatory controls of state and federal government. Guidance, combined with the regulatory influence of our national association, can only lead to a more respected science, a more pleasurable hobby, and competent, invariably successful, legitimate dealers.

B. REGISTRATION OF NUMISMATIC DEALERS BY A.N.A.-C.E.P.A.

I - Dealers to Register with A.N.A.-C.E.P.A. as Individuals

- a - Dealers who are members of partnerships or majority stockholders and/or officers of corporations, must register as individuals.
- b - The highest category of individual membership shall determine the partnership or corporative dealer category.
- c - Only one-half of the yearly A.N.A.-C.E.P.A. dealer registration fee shall be paid by any second or succeeding member of a partnership or corporation.

II - A.N.A.-C.E.P.A. dealer registration to be by categories.

- a - Category assignment to be based upon (1) type of material handled, (2) amount and form of cash and stock assets, (3) length of time in business, (4) length of time a member of American Numismatic Association and membership in other numismatic organizations, (5) miscellaneous qualifications.
- b - Dealer to make category selection upon application for A.N.A.-C.E.P.A. registration.
- c - Category assignment to be determined by A.N.A.-C.E.P.A., upon approval of individual application.

d - Category assignment, once approved, can be altered by (1) dealer reapplication after one year, or (2) direct action of the A.N.A.-C.E.P.A. director.

e - Categories of A.N.A.-C.E.P.A. registered dealers:

AAA - Deals in single or "rare" items only, i.e., 80% of gross business volume is in sale of individual items; total assets in excess of \$100,000; in business 10 years or longer under same firm name; A.N.A. member for 10 years or longer, and member of other leading organizations in good standing; publishes auction sale catalogs and/or fixed price lists; has made a significant contribution to either the numismatic hobby or trade.

AA - Same, but total assets in excess of \$50,000; in business five years or longer (not necessarily under identical firm name); A.N.A. member for five years or longer.

A - Same, but deals in single or "rare" items to a degree representing 50% of gross business volume; in business three years or longer (not necessarily under identical firm name); A.N.A. member for three years or longer; does not have to utter printed catalogs or lists, but must regularly advertise in two or more leading numismatic periodicals.

B - Deals in quantity or "promotional" merchandise, manufactured medals, literature, supplies and similar material; total assets in excess of \$25,000; in business two years or longer (not necessarily under identical firm name); A.N.A. member for two years or longer; advertises in two or more leading numismatic periodicals.

C - This category is a "catch-all," representing any legitimate dealer who does not qualify for categories AAA through B.

(It is the intent of the A.N.A.-C.E.P.A. to encourage the sale of actually rare, historically important, legitimate numismatic items, to established, informed collectors, for motivations other than those solely oriented towards monetary profit, and to discourage the sale of any material purely for purposes of capital appreciation, and to so categorize dealers operating under the auspices of the A.N.A.)

III - Application of dealers for A.N.A.-C.E.P.A. registration.

a - Application for C.E.P.A. registration is to be made on a form provided for that purpose, and is to be accompanied by payment of an application fee of \$20.00.

b - In the event of an applicant's rejection, his application fee is not refundable.

c - Each application must bear a recent photo of the applicant.

d - All applications shall contain three personal and two bank references.

e - All applications must be accompanied by written or documented substantiation (or similar evidence) of qualifications.

f - Application for C.E.P.A. registration is made with the understanding that C.E.P.A., may, at its discretion, check the references of the applicant, and/or obtain a credit report concerning him from Dun and Bradstreet.

IV - Acceptance of dealers for A.N.A.-C.E.P.A. registration.

a - A two-thirds vote of the A.N.A.-C.E.P.A. dealer assignment committee shall determine final acceptance or rejection of an applicant for C.E.P.A. registration.

V - A.N.A.-C.E.P.A. bonded dealer registration.

- a - C.E.P.A. registration is valid for a period of one year from date of acceptance.
- b - Dealer, upon notification of acceptance, signs A.N.A.-C.E.P.A. agreement, agreeing to abide by the terms of such agreement.
- c - C.E.P.A. registration automatically qualifies dealer for A.N.A.-C.E.P.A. performance and liability bond.
- d - Dealer, upon notification of acceptance, pays yearly A.N.A.-C.E.P.A. registration fee, in advance.
 - 1 - The A.N.A.-C.E.P.A. yearly registration fee is not uniform. The amount will be predicated upon dealer category.
- e - A.N.A.-C.E.P.A. reregistration takes place on a yearly basis.
 - 1 - A form is provided by A.N.A.-C.E.P.A. for dealer members for the purpose of reregistration, and is sent to them in advance of their membership anniversary date.
 - 2 - No application fee is required for dealer reregistration.
 - 3 - Reregistration forms must bear a recent photo of the dealer.
 - 4 - Reregistration forms must contain two bank references.
 - 5 - Dealer, upon notification of registration renewal, pays his yearly A.N.A.-C.E.P.A. fee in advance.

VI - The A.N.A.-C.E.P.A. bonded dealer seal.

- a - The official A.N.A.-C.E.P.A. seal is to be rectangular in shape, and to be designed so as to conform to all standard page and column widths to a maximum of 5 inches.
 - 1 - The official A.N.A.-C.E.P.A. seal will include the seal of the American Numismatic Association, and bear the legend:
BONDED A.N.A.-C.E.P.A. (seal) DEALER CLASS A (or appropriate category).
- b - Upon application to C.E.P.A., qualified dealer organizations may obtain, for the use of their registered dealer members, official A.N.A.-C.E.P.A. seals bearing their organization emblem rather than the seal of the A.N.A.
 - 1 - At least 50% of the membership of any dealer organization must be A.N.A.-C.E.P.A. registered dealers, in order for the organization to qualify for use of their emblem as part of the C.E.P.A. seal.
 - 2 - All officers and/or directors of any dealer organization (with the exception of a foreign dealer organization) must be individually registered with C.E.P.A., in order for their organization to so qualify.

VII - Use of the A.N.A.-C.E.P.A. bonded dealer seal.

- a - Each registered C.E.P.A. dealer is entitled to use the C.E.P.A. seal on his firm stationery, in his advertising and in his publications, and to display same at his place of business.
 - 1 - Registered C.E.P.A. dealers may apply to the C.E.P.A. director for any reasonable number of C.E.P.A. line cuts for use on any printed matter produced by him.
- b - A.N.A.-C.E.P.A. seal line cuts, bearing the seal of the A.N.A., and covering all dealer categories, shall be provided (in all needed sizes) by C.E.P.A., to all leading numismatic periodicals and publications, published or printed in the U.S. or Canada, which contain commercial numismatic advertisements.

- 1 - A.N.A.-C.E.P.A. seal line cuts, bearing the emblem of a qualified dealer organization, must be furnished to numismatic periodicals and publications, by the pertinent dealer organization, at their expense.
- c - Use of the C.E.P.A. seal on a dealer's business stationery is optional. However, a registered C.E.P.A. dealer must use the official seal on all of his catalogs and lists, and it is to be included in his advertising.
- d - Deliberate misuse of the A.N.A.-C.E.P.A. bonded dealer seal by any C.E.P.A. registered dealer shall be considered grounds for revocation of C.E.P.A. affiliation.
- 1 - Illegal or unauthorized use of the A.N.A.-C.E.P.A. seal by any member dealer of the American Numismatic Association, shall be considered grounds for expulsion from the A.N.A.

C. FUNCTIONS OF A.N.A. - CREDIT, ETHICS, PERFORMANCE ADMINISTRATION

I - All A.N.A.-C.E.P.A. registered dealers are to be bonded through C.E.P.A.

For both performance and liability, such insurance is to be issued by a national or international insurance firm to A.N.A.-C.E.P.A.

- a - The amount of each C.E.P.A. bond shall range from \$5,000 to \$50,000, based upon dealer category.
- b - A.N.A.-C.E.P.A. bonds covering numismatic dealer corporations (where all majority stockholders and/or officers are registered by C.E.P.A.), shall bear a face amount to be determined by the C.E.P.A. director.

II - The A.N.A.-C.E.P.A. bonded dealer contract agreement.

- a - All registered C.E.P.A. dealers are bound to operate under the terms of a contract agreement signed upon their notification of acceptance for C.E.P.A. registration.
- b - The A.N.A.-C.E.P.A. dealer's contract shall contain general or specific C.E.P.A. regulations concerning dealer performance in regard to:
 - 1 - Authenticity of numismatic items sold.
 - 2 - Legal title to numismatic items sold.
(The contract shall provide for a full refund of the purchase price, plus 6% annual interest, within five years of purchase, should any article sold not prove authentic. The same stipulation shall apply to any items not legally held, and thus not legally sold, except for the time period.)
 - 3 - Acceptance by a purchaser of dealer's condition grading.
 - 4 - Technical or historical information made on behalf of merchandise by a dealer.
 - 5 - Quality and type of dealer publications.
 - 6 - Restrictions against advertising and/or public statements concerning the investment potential or worth of any numismatic merchandise sold.
 - 7 - General dealer advertising concerning the promotion of any numismatic item or series or issue, and any aspects of advertising or publishing by a member dealer not specifically listed above.
- c - Registered A.N.A.-C.E.P.A. dealers are to follow C.E.P.A. suggestions, recommendations and directives concerning the payment of obligations and credit procedures.

- d — Registered A.N.A.-C.E.P.A. dealers are to abide by C.E.P.A. directives concerning prohibited or illegal merchandise.
- e — Registered A.N.A.-C.E.P.A. dealers are obliged to abide by disciplinary action imposed by the A.N.A.-C.E.P.A. director, subject to appeal to the C.E.P.A. dealer appeal board.

III — The A.N.A.-C.E.P.A. prohibited list of numismatic material.

- a — The A.N.A.-C.E.P.A. bonded dealer contract agreement shall specify broad categories of material that cannot be handled or dealt in by member dealers.
- b — A.N.A.-C.E.P.A. may, from time to time, make changes or alterations to the list of prohibited merchandise and shall advise C.E.P.A. dealers of additions to or deletions from such list 30 days prior to public notification concerning such material.

(The A.N.A.-C.E.P.A. list of detrimental or prohibitive material shall conform to the laws of the U. S., state and local laws, and the rules of both good business and common sense, with modifications predicated upon what the consensus indicates is necessary for the preservation of the science, hobby and industry.)

IV — A.N.A.-C.E.P.A. regulation of advertising by registered dealers.

- a — The A.N.A.-C.E.P.A. shall issue and promulgate standards of advertising for member dealers.
- b — The A.N.A.-C.E.P.A. advertising standards will insure (1) that prohibitive material is not listed, (2) that correct technical terms will be used by member dealers in describing material, (3) that the rules and regulations concerning dealer advertising as stated in the contract agreement will be kept up to date and interpreted in the light of new issues, changes in law, and similar developments.

V — The A.N.A.-C.E.P.A. theft, security and insurance office.

- a — The director of A.N.A.-C.E.P.A. shall keep a continuous detailed file on all reports of the theft of numismatic material, the recovery of stolen numismatic items, and the apprehension and conviction of those involved in numismatic robberies.
- b — A.N.A.-C.E.P.A. will file and record all lists of stolen numismatic material, and will make such information available to law enforcement agencies and others, upon request, and for good cause.
- c — The director of A.N.A.-C.E.P.A. will immediately advise C.E.P.A. registered dealers of any thefts or robberies in which C.E.P.A. dealers are victimized, and will also make it a policy to advise them of other major thefts, and to circulate lists of merchandise stolen, so as to assist in the recovery of such material.
- d — A.N.A.-C.E.P.A. will, where applicable, offer cash rewards towards the recovery of any merchandise stolen from a registered dealer.
- e — The director of A.N.A.-C.E.P.A. will obtain information and data concerning security devices, equipment and practices, and will evaluate and list same, with the intention of disseminating the results thereof to C.E.P.A. dealers.
- f — A.N.A.-C.E.P.A. will make arrangements with a major U.S. insurance firm to obtain reliable coverage at competitive premium rates, for individual C.E.P.A. dealers, such insurance to be obtained under A.N.A.-C.E.P.A. auspices and to be based upon a uniform code of dealer security practices and measures.

VI — The A.N.A.-C.E.P.A. credit information office.

- a — All registered dealer members will report to the director of C.E.P.A. persons involved in apparent mail fraud, nonpayment of debts, or similar practices.
 - 1 — The reporting dealer member will bear full responsibility for credit or like information delivered to the C.E.P.A. director.

- b - A.N.A.-C.E.P.A. will advise registered dealers of delinquent accounts, poor credit risks, and persons allegedly guilty of similar practices, whether A.N.A. members or not.
- c - The A.N.A.-C.E.P.A. director will report to the A.N.A. board of governors, through the office of the executive secretary of the A.N.A., the names of any persons who refuse to (or cannot) pay their just financial obligations.

D. A.N.A.-C.E.P.A. OPERATING PROCEDURE

I - A.N.A.-C.E.P.A. dealer discipline (1)

- a - The A.N.A.-C.E.P.A. director can discipline C.E.P.A. dealers by suspension of their affiliation with C.E.P.A. for a period not to exceed the remainder of their one year term of registration, or fine them a maximum of \$250 for each offense.
- b - The A.N.A.-C.E.P.A. director, upon receipt of a complaint against a C.E.P.A. dealer, shall notify said dealer of the complaint in writing, and allow a maximum of 15 days for reply.
- c - Within 30 days after initial receipt of a complaint by the C.E.P.A. director, positive action towards settlement of the complaint must be taken, and the C.E.P.A. dealer advised of such action in writing.
- d - If, upon notification of the C.E.P.A. decision relative to a complaint against him, a registered dealer disagrees with the conclusions reached by C.E.P.A., he may appeal to the C.E.P.A. dealer appeal board.
- e - Upon receipt of a dealer appeal, the C.E.P.A. dealer appeal board shall arbitrate the dealer's case and the decision of the A.N.A.-C.E.P.A. director. Agreement of four of the board members shall be considered a decision, and the results thereof will be final, and binding both upon the dealer and C.E.P.A.
- f - If an originator of a complaint is not satisfied with (1) direct action of C.E.P.A. against a registered dealer, or (2) a decision of the C.E.P.A. dealer appeal board, he may reinstate his original complaint, within 10 days, to the office of the executive secretary of the A.N.A., who, shall notify the A.N.A. board of governors of the complaint, and the facts of the situation. The board of governors can reverse a decision of either the A.N.A.-C.E.P.A. director or the A.N.A.-C.E.P.A. dealer appeal board.

II - A.N.A.-C.E.P.A. dealer discipline (2)

- a - In the event of a very serious complaint against a registered dealer, the C.E.P.A. director shall refer the complaint directly to the A.N.A. board of governors, through the office of the executive secretary of the Association.
- b - When a complaint is immediately referred to the A.N.A. board of governors, the C.E.P.A. dealer involved shall be automatically suspended from C.E.P.A. and from membership in the American Numismatic Association.

III - Publicity concerning A.N.A.-C.E.P.A. dealer discipline.

- a - A decision taken against a registered dealer by the C.E.P.A. director, if not appealed within the grace period, shall be published in the next possible issue of *The Numismatist*.
- b - In the event of an appeal, the decision of the A.N.A.-C.E.P.A. dealer appeal board will only be publicized if the decision is against the dealer.
- c - All very serious complaints against a registered dealer, which result in his immediate suspension from both C.E.P.A. and A.N.A. membership, shall be published in the next appearing issue of *The Numismatist*.

IV - Advertising and convention advantages for A.N.A.-C.E.P.A. bonded dealers.

- a** - Bourse tables at the annual A.N.A. convention shall be limited to those holding A.N.A.-C.E.P.A. registration six months before the date of said convention.
 - 1** - Operators of important regional conventions will be asked to limit their bourse space to A.N.A.-C.E.P.A. registered dealers.
- b** - Advertisements of A.N.A.-C.E.P.A. registered dealers will be kept together, separate from any other ads appearing in *The Numismatist*.
 - 1** - Publishers of numismatic periodicals in the U.S. and Canada, will be asked to keep the advertising of A.N.A.-C.E.P.A. dealers together and apart from all other ads in their publications.

E. A.N.A.-C.E.P.A. TABLE OF ORGANIZATION

I - Office of director of A.N.A.-C.E.P.A.

- a** - The director of A.N.A.-C.E.P.A. shall be a nondealer appointed for a five year term by the president of the A.N.A., confirmation of such appointment to be made by unanimous decision of the A.N.A. board of governors.
 - 1** - The yearly salary of the A.N.A.-C.E.P.A. director should be an amount not less than \$17,500, and not more than \$25,000.
- b** - The associate director of A.N.A.-C.E.P.A. shall be a nondealer, likewise appointed, who shall also serve for a five year term.
 - 1** - The yearly salary of the A.N.A.-C.E.P.A. associate director should be an amount not less than \$10,000, and not more than \$12,500.

II - The A.N.A.-C.E.P.A. dealer assignment committee.

- a** - This committee shall consist of nine members, four of whom are to be "AAA" or "AA" dealers, and the remaining five nondealer A.N.A. life members.
 - 1** - Members of the A.N.A.-C.E.P.A. dealer assignment committee will be appointed by the president of the A.N.A., and will serve for two year terms.

III - The A.N.A.-C.E.P.A. dealer appeal board.

- a** - This board shall consist of five nondealer members of the A.N.A., appointed by the president of the A.N.A. from a nominated panel of 10 A.N.A. members, who will serve for two year terms.
 - 1** - Four of the candidates for the A.N.A.-C.E.P.A. dealer appeal board will be nominated by the P.N.G.; and three each by the R.C.D.A. and C.D.A.

A.N.A. Election Ballots

Ballots for the election of Association officers for the next two years will be mailed to all members about July 12. They must be returned in the addressed mailing envelope that will accompany them, and must be received by the official tabulating firm on or before August 10, 1965.

As an aid to insuring a fair election and to guard against irregularities, the board of governors voted at its March 22 meeting to have each member's membership number printed on his ballot envelope. There will be no identifying number on the ballot itself, and no officer of the Association will be present when ballots are removed from the numbered envelopes.

Other precautions will be taken, of course, to help insure a fair and impartial election. Each member is urged to read and follow carefully the instructions which he will receive with the ballot to avoid the possibility of his ballot being rejected.

Not Enough Coins for Collectors

The following news story appeared in the Bloemfontein, South Africa, newspaper, *The Friend*, May 4, 1965:

It is absolutely no use writing to the South African mint in the hopes of obtaining a proof set of this year's new coins, the mint's chief bullion officer, Mr. W. S. van As, said yesterday. Only 6,000 sets are being minted for numismatists — and more than 1,000,000 orders have already been received for them.

Orders are still pouring in at the rate of 750 a day from the United States, and 100 a day from South Africans, and it is costing the mint R400 a week to write and tell these would-be buyers that they cannot meet their orders.

Only one or two sets of coins are being allotted to each collector, and preference is given to the small collector, the genuine collector rather than the dealer — and the regular collector.

In other words, those collectors who were on last year's lists, and the one before that, are assured of receiving a set or two. New would-be buyers are placed on the waiting list, now about 1,000,000 names long.

Hundreds of Letters

In previous years, Mr. Van As said, only a few thousand orders were received for each issue of the proof sets, and the Mint authorities were able to write to each collector individually or speak to them personally in answer to their queries.

In April last year, collectors became aware, so to speak, of the value of South African coin sets, and hundreds

of letters are received by the Mint testifying to their beauty and high standard, and to the excellent methods whereby they are sold and allotted to genuine collectors.

As an indication of the value attached by collectors to S. A. coins, the complete set, without the gold coins, which is valued at R2.85 by the mint, sells at R30 to R40 a set in dealers' circles.

The set with the gold coins, valued by the mint at R15.50, is sold by dealers at R80 to R100 a set.

'Like Stockbrokers'

There were 15,000,000 collectors in the United States, Mr. Van As said, and 5,000 dealers, most of whom were connected to each other by telex. They operated like stockbrokers.

And this year's South African sets, due to arrive in the United States in August this year, are already changing hands "in title" at the prices quoted.

The mint has to fend off a number of these dealers in an effort at supplying the small man and the genuine numismatist.

Mr. Van As said 250,000 orders had been received from one dealer alone, and another ordered 100,000 sets by air mail, and "a further consignment by negotiation thereafter."

One American who ordered 100 sets and was allocated one threatened to write to U.N. and have a boycott placed on all South African sets.

He terrified the Mint authorities no more than did the South African who threatened to write to "the Minister" when his order could not be fulfilled. — Courtesy of M. Hersch

Club Representative Award

The A.N.A. board of governors has approved a yearly award to the outstanding A.N.A. club representative to be presented at the club representative meeting held during the annual A.N.A. convention. The award for this year will be made Saturday, August 28, in Houston, Texas. A selection committee will choose the recipient from nominations received either from affiliated coin clubs or from individual A.N.A. members. Some of the things to be considered in making the selection are as follows:

What has the nominee done to improve the image of numismatics? How has he promoted the American Numismatic Association? Has he obtained desirable members? Has he encouraged the use of educational material for his club's meetings? Has he promoted the use of the educational award certificates? Has he encouraged his club and individuals to participate in National Coin Week? Has he been active in local, regional and national committee work? Does your A.N.A. club representative merit a nomination for the award to be made at the Houston convention? Please write a summary of his activities and send it to Club Representative Program, 3520 N. 7th St., Phoenix, Ariz. 85014.

BIRTHDAY GREETINGS TO:

Edward W. Williams of Chicago, Ill., A.N.A. No. 832, who first enrolled in 1906 and was born on July 1st. He was one of the initial donors to the building fund, at the 1961 convention.

M. H. Jackson, another Chicagoan who enrolled in 1925 as No. 2822.

Frank I. Liveright of Westwood, N. J., No. 1425, was born on July 4th. He has been a continuous member since 1910.

Gustaf Polson of De Land, Fla., was born July 15th. He enrolled in 1922 as No. 2398.

Walter E. Welch of Canton, Ohio, whose birthday is July 25th. He also enrolled in 1922 as No. 2428.

A few club meeting reports had to be held over to next month.

CLUB NEWS

The assistance of all clubs is earnestly solicited to see that club news items intended for publication in this section conform to the following:

1. Please send only news which will interest others than local members.
2. All contributions should be typed, double space on sheets of standard size. Do not underline words or type all capitals. No carbon copies.
3. Give details necessary to convey your story and give it interest, but omit excess words. Brevity is one of the marks of good writing.
4. Study reports of other clubs herein for style and general contents. Be extra careful of spelling names of persons, places and coins.
5. To avoid delays send all club news material to Assistant to the Editor, who is listed with other officers at the front of each issue.
6. Deadline is five weeks preceding the date of issue. Items received after the 25th probably will be held over. Omit reference to events which will occur before the date of publication. — The Editor.

At the May 4 meeting of the **Western Pennsylvania Numismatic Society**, A.N.A. LM 39, Dr. Jim Sloss was given an A.N.A. educational award certificate for his presentation "Varieties of the 1870 Gold Dollar" at the April meeting. Then 15 members and 7 invited guests enjoyed the evening's scheduled offering by John L. Knabenschuh whose "Ships on Coins" was novel and effective in format and delivery, and numismatically and nautically outstanding. The talk had been recorded on tape and was played over a stereophonic audio system. Introductory and background music from "Windjammer" and "Victory at Sea" enhanced the nautical flavor. Two projectors showed color slides simultaneously on two sections of a large screen located between the speakers. A manually controlled projector showed the coin being described on the tape by Knabenschuh, while the second displayed 200 slides of ships and seascapes on an automatic 15 second change cycle. This double projection was not disturbing, as might be thought, but rather the beautiful marine scenes tended to concentrate attention on the coin projection. Limiting his talk to representative coins of the period 1800 to the present having a ship as a major portion of the design, Knaben-

schuh presented many enlightenments on ship types as well as on general nautical terms. We learned about lateen and square rigs, sprits'l tops'l and ships on the line. The German 3 and 5 mark pieces of 1927, commemorating the founding of Bremerhaven, were presented as the most beautiful ship coins, while the 1936-37 Polish 5 zlotych and 2 zlote coins were called the most inaccurate designs. The ship on these coins, because of extra sails between the masts, qualifies neither as tops'l schooner nor as a barque and is purely a landlubber artist's configuration. In closing remarks, Knabenschuh recommended adoption of a topical collection as an adjunct to broaden a collector's numismatic field, since this type of collecting covers the complete field of coins, tokens, medals and paper money of all times. He displayed 162 ship coins, all but a few in uncirculated or proof condition, and many reference books on ships. President Ray Byrne expressed the feelings of the audience when he thanked Knabenschuh, adding the comment that his presentation is among the most outstanding ever delivered before the Society. The guests were introduced and John Gartner (A.N.A. 24750), numismatist and pub-

lisher of Melbourne, Australia described the status of collecting in his country. He spoke on the coming decimalization of currency in Australia, New Zealand and Fiji, and answered members' questions. Exhibitors who remarked upon their offerings, which included many choice and unusual items, were Meyer Goddy, Dick Foley, Ed Schneck, Bill Woodside, Bill Ross, Ray Byrne, Phil Williams, Jack Nelson, Bob Porter, Gordon Dodrill and Bill Hunter. — JOHN A. NELSON, Publicity

Cale B. Jarvis, publisher of *Canada Coin News*, spoke on the controversial topic "What Is Happening in Numismatics" at the March meeting of **North York (Canada) Coin Club**. Jarvis presented some reasons why numismatics is becoming more of a business than the hobby it once was, the main one, he feels, being in the press. Prior to the 1950s, collecting was relatively quiet and there was a greater opportunity to acquire good material at reasonable prices. But through the '50s and '60s magazines, periodicals, newspapers, pocket books, etc., stimulated the hobby to such an extent that interest skyrocketed, causing the great demand of today. There doesn't seem to be any relief in sight due to publicity given by the U. S. date freeze, the Canadian 92 cent dollar, the Canadian series of 1965, our centennial year in 1967, etc. Jarvis answered many interesting and topical questions following his stimulating talk. The Club has passed another milestone in going over the 200 mark in membership since being formed in 1960.

The third annual coin festival sponsored by the **Newport County Coin Club**, A.N.A. 47417, in conjunction with National Coin Week was its most successful show to date. Approximately one thousand attended the May 1-2 event at the Viking Hotel in Newport, R. I. with 31 dealers on hand and reporting excellent business. The large hall adjoining the bourse room was filled with exhibits. This feature attraction of the festival included invitational, competitive and noncompetitive exhibits. Judging was by the renowned numismatist and author, Maurice Gould of Boston, and Leonard Finn, treasurer of the **New England Numismatic Association**. Awards went to Omer Noel, 1st for U. S. coins; Mrs. Betty Jaffe, 1st for paper currency; Ted Zukowski, 1st for foreign coins; Ralph S. Jaffe, 1st for U. S. tokens; Louis Nelson, 1st for gold coins; and Dr. Francis Constable, 1st for odd and curious money in the miscellaneous class. From these winners, Gould and Finn judged Mrs. Jaffe's display as best of show. Second place awards went to Betty Norville for U. S. coins; Robert Bowerman for foreign coins; Ted Zukowski for paper currency; Edna Czerwinka in the medal and token class; and George Kay in the miscellaneous class. The award to a junior member of the Club went to Jim Kyle, with

Peggy Pechkam and Betty Neidich receiving honorable mention. The festival committee was headed by Club Vice President Ralph S. Jaffe and President Robert E. Brinton. All club members



Newport County exhibit award winners, 1. to r., Ted Zukowski, Betty Norville, Omer Noel, Ralph Jaffe, Betty K. Jaffee and exhibit judge Maurice Gould. Five other award winners were not present for the picture.

participated in the exhibits and security and work under the various committee chairmen. George W. Woolhouse headed our National Coin Week activities, in which all members participated. The quality of the festival can be judged best by the fact that most dealers requested tables for the next show, and comments about the exhibits indicated them to be on a par with those shown at far larger regional conventions. — RALPH S. JAFFE, Vice Pres.

The **Valparaiso Coin Club**, A.N.A. 45489, held its 2nd successful show on May 2 in the Armory at Valparaiso, Ind. The guard estimated the crowd at over 1500 persons, and this checked with the register which included names of visitors from 5 states. The show was well planned and organized by President Paul Flick with each club member having a job and working hard at it. Exhibits took up over 80 standard size cases, according to Exhibit Chairman George Kielpikowski, and were truly outstanding. After long study, the judges announced the following winners: U. S. coins — Robert Cooke, Diane Cooke and George Kielpikowski; U. S. paper money — Fay Smith, George Kielpikowski and Harvey Varner; foreign coins — Benjamin Young, Kate Kielpikowski and A. R. Birkholz; foreign paper money — Sue Brady; Canadian coins — Robert Cooke; odd and curious — Albert Hall, Fay Smith and Harold Henning; medals and tokens — Gerda Birkholz, Ethel Schumake and Albert Hall; ancient coins — George Kielpikowski; gold and proofs — Paul Kesler; specialized and miscellaneous — Albert Hall, Edith Johnson and Sue Brady. The best of show award went to Gerda Birkholz. Among the junior exhibitors, the following were award winners: U. S. coins — Wayne Betz, and Harry Stewart; U. S. paper money — Jim Cinkoske; foreign — Janice Kielpikowski and David Breed; medals — Valestias Zilaitis. Junior best

of show went to Jim Cinkoske. The surprise of the day was the honoring of the Club's first president, Harvey Varner, with a specially decorated birthday cake. Members signed a birthday card for Varner who was at the show all day. It was agreed that the special police hired from the sheriff's office did an excellent job of providing security and handling the heavy traffic. Many dealers were ready to sign up for next year's show at the end of the day, but most members were interested mostly in resting up a while. We thank other clubs in the area and all who helped so much to make this show a success. It was preceded with exhibits for National Coin Week in 3 local banks, 2 out of town banks, and 8 local business places. The Mayor of Valparaiso issued a NCW proclamation for the Club. Our meetings are held the 2nd Sunday afternoon and the 4th Tuesday evening monthly at the American Legion. — MRS. GEORGE KIELPIKOWSKI, Sec.

Joel Anderson gave a most interesting and informative talk at the May 6 meeting of **Muscle Shoals Coin Club**, A.N.A. 33635, Sheffield, Ala. Anderson recently visited 13 European countries where he toured several mints and discussed coinage with several directors of mints. He was amazed to learn of the vast amount of foreign coin being imported into the United States. He met some coin collectors in the countries he visited but found very few who collected U. S. coins except early types, but found that they all collected British coins. Thos. E. Clark presented awards for the winning NCW exhibits as follows: U. S. coins — E. W. Linville, 1st, Jane Riddle, 2nd, Mary McDonald, 3rd; U. S. paper money — A. W. Beinlich, Jr., and C. E. Martin; foreign coins — Faye Kirkpatrick, Jane Boozer, and A. W. Beinlich, Jr.; medals — Mary McDonald, Jane Riddle, and Ernest Parker; miscellaneous — Mary McDonald, Charley Palmer, III, and Bob Simmons, Jr. Clark also presented awards in the junior member essay contest to John Hart, 1st, and John Thompson, 2nd. National Coin Week Chairman Bob Simmons stated that he was well pleased with the special NCW meeting on April 26 and delighted that 12 new members were added that evening. He felt that our NCW effort was a great success and added that the scrapbook committee was busy completing our entry which he hoped would bring the Club its third award. (Editor's note: It did!) Simmons and President Faye Kirkpatrick expressed their thanks and gratitude to all members for helping in the event and for a job well done.

At the May 6 meeting of the **West Alabama Coin Club**, A.N.A. 52246, 40 members and guests heard John H. Morris, Jr. speak on collecting coins and paper money, with emphasis on proofs. Morris, who is a candidate for the

A.N.A. board of governors, displayed uncut sheets of paper money and proof Indian cents, shield nickels and nickel three-cent pieces. — W. J. COX, Sec.

The **Central Coast Coin Club**, A.N.A. 31444, will hold its 5th annual coin-arama on July 24-25 in the Veterans Memorial Bldg. in San Luis Obispo, Calif. There will be 30 dealers from western states in the bourse that will open at 9 a.m. on Saturday and close at 6 p.m. on Sunday. Shows in the past few years have drawn in excess of 2500 visitors, according to General Chairman James R. Silva who stated that there will be no admission charge. There will be a trophy for the best in show exhibit as well as individual class trophies. Those wishing to enter exhibits should write to Knud Clausen, P. O. Box 1048, San Luis Obispo, Calif. for application forms. There will be drawings for a number of gold pieces and proof sets during the two days.

The **Blanchard Valley Coin Club**, A.N.A. 41454, will hold its 4th annual show on July 10-11 at the Findlay, Ohio, College Student Union. Trophies and ribbons will be given as awards for competitive exhibits in nine classes and two for juniors. There will be 30 bourse tables. The building is air conditioned, has a snack bar, free parking facilities and maximum security measures will be provided around the clock. There will be no admission or registration charge, and drawings will be held for several gold pieces. — DONALD E. BADERTSCHER, Publ. Chm.

The first annual coin show held at the Wicomico Youth and Civic Center in Salisbury, Md., of April 25 was considered very successful. Over 500 persons enjoyed more than 25 exhibits shown by members of the 5 participating clubs and bourse dealers reported very good action at their tables. Chairman of the show C. F. Smith awarded the best of show trophy to F. C. Waggener for his display of type coins complete from the 1793 half cent. J. E. Willey, Sr. took the second place trophy with his U. S. paper money display, and third went to T. H. Mezick for medals of the world. Honorable mention was made on displays by Miss Audrey McClaine, Bobby Smith and Charles Carlson. Participating clubs were: **Salisbury Coin Club**, A.N.A. 54802; **Seaford Coin Club**, A.N.A. 48414; **Somerset Coin Club**; **Wiconmico Coin Club**, A.N.A. 28107; and **Bay Shore Coin and Stamp Club**. Plans are being made for the 2nd show to be held next year. — CHARLES F. SMITH

The **Greeley Coin Club**, A.N.A. 10300, had Special Agent in Charge Rolland Osborne of the Denver office of the Secret Service as guest speaker at its May 14 meeting. Osborne discussed the duties of the Secret Service, as well as those of several other law enforcement divi-

sions of the Treasury Department. He also told anecdotes about counterfeiting cases in which he and his office have been involved, and discussed the regulations on gold importation and possession. Club President Rick Bronson thanked the members for the fine showing they made during National Coin Week, and announced that our scrapbook entry was completed and shipped. Among the many undertakings in our



Virginia Bronson, I., presents "Selections From The Numismatist" to Mrs. Grunczewski, Readers Advisor to the Weld County Public Library.

observance of NCW was the presentation of the four volumes *Selections From The Numismatist* to both the Greeley Public Library and the Weld County Library. Also, 20 new A.N.A. members were recruited by the Club during its NCW activities. — MRS. VIRGINIA L. BRONSON, A.N.A. Club Rep.

The **Baron Stiegel Coin Club, A.N.A.** 26117, has set Sept. 18-19 for its 3rd annual fall show to be held in the Manheim Auto Auction one mile south of Manheim, Pa. on Route 72. Admission will be free during show hours from 10 a.m. to 10 p.m. Saturday and from noon to 6 p.m. on Sunday. The Club expects to have 15 bourse dealers and to give mementoes to all who attend. — LLOYD E. WEIDMAN, Chm.

Several hundred visitors viewed the numismatic items displayed at Wellman's Holiday Inn, Valparaiso, Ind. on May 1 by members of the **Valparaiso Numismatic Society**. Dealers reported much activity and the appraisal table, manned by Art Feathers and Robert Butts, was quite busy. Along with visitors from surrounding towns and cities in Indiana, we had collectors from six other states at this National Coin Week activity. Display trophies were awarded to Art Feathers for U. S. currency, to Marvin Kornblith for U. S. type coins, and to Wilbur Reithel for world type coins. Robert Taylo showed the 1931-S Lincoln cent that grades very high in condition which he found recently. Such finds are few and far between but do

lend encouragement to collectors to keep on looking. One of the many guests who expressed delight and satisfaction with the show was "Waldo the Great, Magic Man of Pennies," who offered his services at the coming Duneland Area show.

The May 12 meeting proved that citizens of the area still like good music. Only about half of the usual 60 attendance was registered while others danced to the Waltz King's unforgettable rhythms. Don Driver explained the perils of coin collectors and the caution of the insurance companies who insure them. While the lot of the collector is perilous, that of the coin dealer is downright ridiculous since he must rely on his own devices to protect that which is his own. He is at the mercy of sneak thief or brigand who decides to prey on him; so must be cautious, alert and even willing to resort to violence if necessary. Insurance companies will accept him only on certain conditions and at considerable expense. After a brief business meeting, Steve Thomas and Joe Merrill were elected junior member sergeants-at-arms. They are so small, it was decided it would take both of them to fill the position adequately. — MARVIN KORNBLITH, Pres.

The May 5 meeting of the **Brooklyn Coin Club, A.N.A. 4242**, was ladies night and 55 members and guests with their dolls were present. An A.N.A. educational award certificate was presented to President Eddie Schuman for a paper which he read on 1864 pattern cents at our April meeting. He also displayed six rare 1864 patterns, including a proof cent. Treasurer Irving Vengrove read an enlightening article on silver, silver coins and the shortage thereof which he had written at the behest of King Features Syndicate for publication in various periodicals. There was much discussion on the subject, with Irving championing the change to other metals for our coins, especially nickel. Members had been requested to bring items to be auctioned for the A.N.A. building fund. Since only \$65.25 was realized, it was decided to continue the auctions until further notice. Following the meeting we enjoyed the Danish collation prepared by Morris Bram and gave the wives a chance for some girl talk. President Schuman distributed ostrich-plumed pens to the ladies as remembrances of the evening. — MAX VLOT-KOFFSKY, Sec.

At the April meeting of **Casper Coin Club, A.N.A. 52285**, a report was given on National Coin Week displays to be in the First National Bank, the Wyoming National Bank, the Security Bank and the Provident Federal Savings. The Security Bank asked the Club to provide continuous displays for its showcase. We do not hold meetings in July and August, and it was decided to hold a fall dinner meeting in October following

resumption of meetings in September. Our meetings are held in the Henning Hotel in Casper, Wyo. — R. HOWARD, Pres.

Clubs announcing shows to be held this summer and fall include the following, which will be listed in the "Calendar" in accordance with usual practice: **Colorado Springs Coin Club**, A.N.A. 50391, July 30-August 1 in the City Auditorium; **Blue Ridge Numismatic Assn.** 6th annual convention, August 5-8 in Charlotte, N. C.; **International Coin Club**, A.N.A. 49285, Sept. 4-5, El Paso, Texas; **Evergreen Coin Club**, A.N.A. 20060, Sept. 10-12, Centralia, Wash.; **Grand Island Coin Club**, A.N.A. 39846, Sept. 18-19, Grand Island, Nebr.; **Ventura County Coin Club**, A.N.A. 28546, Ventura, Calif.; **Dundee Coin Club**, A.N.A. 52641, Sept. 19, Dundee, N. Y.; **Beaver Coin Club**, A.N.A. 54141, Sept. 19, Columbiana, Ohio; **Austin Coin Club**, A.N.A. 28677, Oct. 2-3, Austin, Minn.; **Barber County Coin Club**, A.N.A. 46557, Oct. 2-3, Medicine Lodge, Kans.; **Indiana Coin Club**, A.N.A. 53455, Oct. 23-24, Indiana, Penna.; **Wheeling Area Coin Club**, A.N.A. 36149, Oct. 23-24, Wheeling, W. Va.; and **Akron Coin Club**, A.N.A. 7258, Nov. 5-7, Akron, Ohio.

Highlight of the 170th meeting of the **Oak Park Coin Club**, A.N.A. 20098, on April 9 was an auction of donated material, conducted by A.N.A. Governor Harold R. Klein, with all proceeds given to the A.N.A. building fund. Klein, after exhausting the supply of numismatic items, commenced to offer sundry articles which ended with the sale of the tie he had worn to the meeting. During the spirited bidding for the tie, Club President John Jankowski outbid Glenn Smedley and was last seen wearing two ties and a big smile as he left the meeting at the Oak Park Arms Hotel. The success of the auction released Auction Chairman Irving Harris from his promise to make up the difference between income from it and \$150. The Club added \$100 and contributed \$250 to the building fund, as reported in the June issue. The Club will conduct a two-day show at the O'Hare Inn, Mannheim & Higgins Roads in Des Plaines, Ill. on October 30-31. It will feature 43 bourse tables, an auction to be conducted by a prominent dealer, an educational program and outstanding exhibits from fine numismatic collections. Show chairman Bruno Rzepka may be contacted at P. O. Box 167, Oak Park, Ill. 60303. Bourse Chairman Roy Wilson advises that all tables were awarded to invited dealers and that all sections of the country and segments of the numismatic field will be represented. Officers of the Club are: President John Jankowski, Vice President Bruno Rzepka, Treasurer Ed Taylor, Secretary Sharon Calderone, and Governors Dennis Anderson, Jerry Kadlicek and S. A. Van Petten, the latter being the immediate past president.

A certificate of appreciation was presented to the **Compton Coin Club**, A.N.A. 43963, at its April 21 meeting by the Long Beach Hobby Show for participation in the March show. Individual certificates were presented to the following: Carolyn Apache, Frank and Mrs. Randall, Olga Nergard, Kenneth Young, John Williams, Blaine and Mrs. Milliron and Buddy, John Paradowski and Joe and Mrs. Morgan, Clifford Kreizel, who has been stationed in Thule, Greenland, spoke on "Ivory is Money" and exhibited ivory carvings that he had purchased from the Eskimos there. He said that they trade these carvings for items they want such as tobacco, candy and gum. Transactions were carried out by sign language and the Eskimos would not reveal their carved item until they had seen what you had to trade first. Kreizel also showed slides of the Eskimos and related interesting facts such as that every tribe has a different language, supplies are delivered only once a year, the homes are made of sod and not ice as so many believe, that the Eskimos are a very religious people and that there are 42 varieties of flowers there. The island has very pure air and few germs. First place exhibit award went to Myron Wiest for "Coins of My Birth Year and Types of 1909." Virginia Dennis won second with "Presidents on Coins," and John Williams was third with "Mexican Centennial of Freedom." Guests are welcomed to our meetings the third Wednesday monthly in Leuders Park, Compton, Calif. — MRS. M. W. DENNIS, Sec.

At the March meeting of **Echo Park Coin Club**, A.N.A. 47322, Peggy Borgolte presented an outstanding talk on medals. She displayed some very beautiful medals of the Heraldic Art commemorative, Philadelphia Mint, and Cali-

ONE (WOODEN) PELICAN



The Baton Rouge Coin Club "coined" a new denomination with this wooden token to advertise its May 23 show. Reverse gives facts about show. Lettering and design incused and printed with brown ink. See June p. 920 for details.

fornia Mission series. At the April meeting Jack C. MacKay narrated A.N.A. slides of pioneer gold coins. The Club observed National Coin Week by showing ten displays of coins set up by members at the Pioneer Market in Los Angeles. A great deal of interest was noted by persons viewing these exhibits. — GRACE MAZZEO, Corr. Sec.

The **Calumet Numismatic Club**, A.N.A. 8441, held its annual dinner meeting on April 21 in East Chicago, Ind. The highlight of the banquet was a talk by M. Vernon Sheldon, an A.N.A. past president, on "The Philosophy of Coin Collecting." There were many fine competitive displays by members. Our 1965 officers are as follows: President Sam Powell, Vice Presidents Robert Cooke and George Hawk, Secretary Jos. B. Rosenbery, Treasurer David Allen, and Directors Pete Peterson, Paul Jones, Jr. and the secretary. — JOS. B. ROSENBERY, Sec.

The 1132nd meeting of **Rochester Numismatic Association**, A.N.A. 1629, was held April 13 at the Rochester, N. Y. Museum of Arts and Sciences. John Small gave an informative talk on "Civil War Tokens and Store Cards," bringing out the fact that their issue was to substitute for coins withheld because their metallic value exceeded their monetary value. He stated the metallic composition of coins during the 1863-1866 period and told of the other forms of substitute money such as encased postage stamps, fractional currency and other types of paper money. In keeping with the theme of the evening, there were a number of exhibits of tokens of the Civil War years.

At the April 27 meeting, 58 members and guests heard George Killian speak on "What Happens to Your Collection When You Die." He concluded that a collector should draw up a letter to his heirs explaining how to best dispose of his collection. He also gave us information on insuring our collections and protecting against damage from flood, fire and tarnish. On April 24 the club held its annual banquet, honoring Past President Robert E. Ogg for his long service to it. — PAUL A. KRAEMER, Corr. Sec.

The **Lawndale Coin Club**, A.N.A. 34305, met on Easter Sunday, April 18, with 67 members and 5 guests in attendance. Three new members were accepted into the Club. President Bob Miller announced the impending open heart surgery of our Corresponding Secretary Joy Parrish on April 28. Mrs. Norma Calkins, recording secretary, will take over Mrs. Parrish's duties while she is away from club activities. Miller also announced that Mrs. Ann Hall was appointed to the board of governors to fill a vacancy. It was a pleasure to be informed that our Treasurer and President Elect of NASC, Walt Snyder, was greatly honored at the

Upland Coin Club. Every local club was represented and their names appear on the plaque which was presented to Snyder for his outstanding efforts in the numismatic field. Ann Hall was mistress of ceremonies for the event. There were 7 displays for which Exhibit Chairman Gene Calkins presented awards as follows: 1st place plaque to Joy Parrish for her display of world crowns; 2nd place to Norma Calkins for her medals from all over the world honoring the late President John F. Kennedy. In a tie for third place, awards were presented to Ann Hall and to Bill Sadler. Visitors are welcomed to our meetings the 3rd Sunday afternoon monthly at the Odd Fellows-Rebekah Hall in Hawthorne, Calif. — NORMA CALKINS, Rec. Sec.

V. J. Van Cleve gave a most interesting lecture on Canadian coins at the April 21 meeting of **Numismatics International**, the only Dallas-Fort Worth club for collectors of foreign coins and paper money. He displayed a number of coins and discussed the historical symbols used on Canadian coins. Orders were accepted for coins of Denmark, Fiji, and Muscat and Oman, and members present received previously ordered coins from Japan, Greece, Finland, Sierra Leone, Bermuda, Luxembourg and Ireland. "Chief Barker" Wally Widman conducted an auction of 38 lots. Our meetings are open to the public the 3rd Wednesday monthly at L & M Coins & Stamps, 6925 Snider Plaza, Dallas, Texas. — K. T. EDWARDS, Corr. Sec.

William Wisslead gave an informative talk on the coinage of Sarawak to the 93 members and guests attending the April meeting of **Monterey Park Coin Club**, A.N.A. 25300. Occupying one coast of the Island of Borneo, Sarawak was leased in 1841 by the Sultan of Brunei to J. Brooke, an Englishman who had befriended him. In 1888, Brunei and Sarawak became British protectorates. In 1946 they were given the status of a British Crown Colony, and in 1963 became part of the Federation of Malaysia. Wisslead illustrated his talk with a display of the coins of Sarawak from 1840 to 1937. The monthly display trophy was won by R. B. Carter with a portrait of Lincoln backed by Federal Reserve \$5 notes and accompanied by a picture story of how money is minted. Other exhibitors were A. Houston Barry, Paul Schymos and William Stone. Our roster has reached the point where we must limit the number of our members, which includes some of the most respected collectors of the San Gabriel Valley. — VERA SCHYMOs, Corr. Sec.

At the April 20 meeting of **South Lake County Coin Club**, A.N.A. 54426, 6 new members were welcomed to put us over the 100 mark in less than 2 years. Committee reports were heard on National Coin Week activities and our first show to be held Oct. 3 at the Indian Trails

Grange, our regular meeting place in Lowell, Ind. The 50 members and guests then heard Art Feathers describe his start in Coin collecting over 40 years ago. He related that as a boy of 12 years in Pennsylvania, he and his brother were given the chore of digging a basement under their 100-year-old home. In crawling around the hole that was first dug, Art braced himself on a floor joist and his hand came upon a leather bag filled with large U. S. cents. From that day to this, large cents have been his numismatic first love. He has aided many big collectors in completing and cataloging their collections, and has completed three of his own. His history and explanation of the U. S. large cent proved the thoroughness with which he treats all things he undertakes, and his display of errors and overdates furthered this contention. The appearance of Feathers at any club meeting is an inspiration as well as an education. — MARVIN KORNBLITH, Pres.

The May 5 meeting of the **Cheshire County (New Hamp.) Numismatic Society**, A.N.A. 19654, was attended by 25 members. Gen. M. S. Newton told of his experiences on this year's Assay Commission and displayed the medal and the commission given to him by President Johnson. Gen. Newton told also of the history of the mint and the Assay Commission and how coins are made. A.N.A. slides on type U. S. coins from half cents to twenty cents were projected by David Boufford while Ted Dinkel read the commentary. Charles Nims displayed U. S. quarters and nickels, and Sam Jillette exhibited several pattern coins. — MAURICE BARRETT, Pres.

The **East Los Angeles Coin Club**, A.N.A. 49921, had 78 members and 6 guests in attendance at its April 19 meeting in Carpenters Hall. Display Chairman Ray Wyborn presented the winning trophy and asked for more displays at meetings. Guest speaker Ann Hall augmented her talk on "Women on Coins" with an outstanding display. She told us of her initiation into the field of coin collecting and how, after completing a number of sets in rather short time, she decided to specialize in a more difficult and interesting field. Thelma Case, winner of the best in show award at the recent NASC convention, inspired her to take up coins depicting women. She gave a brief history of many of her coins and the women shown on them, including Lady Godiva, Queen Mary — better known as Bloody Mary — Anne Boleyn, Queen Victoria, Queen Isabella on the Columbian exposition quarter, Sarah Longacre on the Indian cent, Princess Marguerite of Denmark, Netherlands Queens Wilhelmina and Juliana, Catherine the Great of Russia, Maria Theresa and many others. She stressed the point that the beauty and appreciation of coins are really lost without studying their history and representa-

tions. Hy Spitz, vice president, presented a plaque to Mrs. Hall in appreciation for the fine program. Visitors are welcomed to our meetings the third Monday evening monthly. — LILA M. BARRETT, Corr. Sec.

The April 21 monthly meeting of **Calgary Coin Association**, A.N.A. 29794, was slanted toward the children's enjoyment due to being in the Easter holidays. When the sound broke down in the projector, John Wendeborn narrated the movie "Mint Masters." Jim L'Herault and Treasurer Eric Clarke reported that the coin roundup was an all-out success. — DAVE MCRTCHIE, Reporter

The **Clarion Coin Club**, A.N.A. 52919, has been appointed by the Clarion, Iowa, Centennial Commission to distribute a commemorative medal. Made of anodized bronze, the medals are crown size. The locomotive on the obverse was known as



the "General" and was in use about 1865. It symbolizes the important part that Clarion had in the growth of the railroad and the railroad in the growth of Clarion. The hub of the city seal is the 4-H emblem, designed by O. H. Benson around 1910. It was through his use of the four leaf clover that the national 4-H emblem came into existence. Other figures represent industry, agriculture, schools, the court house and the Centennial seal, which is enlarged on the reverse. Only 2,500 medals will be available and they will be sold at \$1.25 plus postage or a stamped and self addressed envelope. Orders may be sent to Donald Watts, 106 S. Main St., Clarion, Iowa 50525.

The **Richmond Coin Club**, A.N.A. 30500, will hold what it considers the best one-day coin show in Indiana on October 10. General Chairman is Franklin Coddington, 100 Southwest 13th St.; bourse tables are being handled by Bob Ridgeway, 313 Southwest 3rd St.; and the writer is in charge of exhibits, 107 N. Round Barn Rd., all in Richmond, Ind. — HARRY HORN

Again this year the **North Dakota Coin Club**, A.N.A. 17143, participated in National Coin Week. This year's program continued the customary historical displays which have been made since the Club was organized in 1948 when Leona Dunahay and Helen Mangskan, our two queens, interested others in the numismatic hobby. Club President Norm Wegner, among other functions posed

with North Dakota's capable and popular Governor Bill Guy in a proclamation ceremony at the Capital. The very appropriately worded proclamation was duly signed by Governor Guy and attested by Secretary of State Ben Meier. Members Vern Hansen, Chuck Jones and Wegner placed exhibits in 3 of Bismarck's banks styled "Coins and Currency of South America," "Type United States Currency" and "German Coins and Currency," respectively. The latter was particularly pertinent because of the Von Bismarck Days merchants' program, wherein the German Iron Duke's 150th birth anniversary on April 1, 1815 was recalled. It was the Reichkanzler who encouraged emigrants from the old country to settle the fertile prairies along the Northern Pacific Railroad late in the nineteenth century. — C. T. JONES, Club Rep.

The **Tidewater Coin Club**, A.N.A. 25960, will hold its annual coin-a-rama on August 14-15 at the Lake Wright Motor Lodge, Norfolk's newest and most modern motel, on route 13 and interstate 64. Show hours are from 10 to 10 on Saturday and from 11 a.m. to 7 p.m. Sunday, admission is free, room and food accommodations are available at the motel, there is ample parking space, and security will be provided. Plaques will be awarded to the top exhibitors, and there will be bourse tables. We anticipate that this show will be even bigger than our previous successful shows, and invite you to write for further information and reservations to Chairman Ken Frith, 5940 McGinnis Circle, Norfolk, Va. — J. EDWARD PAUL, Publ. Chm.

A film entitled "U. S. Treasury — Coinage and Printing of Money" was shown as an educational feature at the May meeting of the **Columbus Numismatic Society**, A.N.A. 4052. Through the film we viewed the printing of our paper

money in Washington, D. C., and the minting of coins at various mints. Also heard as a featurette on the program was Duane Lockwood, who spoke on "How to House Your Collection." He displayed and discussed the advantages of the many die cast plastic sheets and cases and custom made cases for complete and special sets on down to individual holders for specimen coins. Individual displays were made and discussed by Frank Spencer, Dave Gander, Charles Case, Don DeVore and Charles Hoff. — HARRY A. MOWERY, Publ. Chm.

The **Western Reserve Numismatic Club**, A.N.A. LM 32, held its 523rd meeting at the Statler Hilton Hotel in Cleveland on May 12. Robert McNamara, chairman of the recent Penn-Ohio show, gave a final report on its success. There were 2100 registrations for the three-day event. Judge Joseph Sawicki was the speaker of the evening, his subject being the history and coinages of three great men of the past: Alexander The Great, the Caesars, and Napoleon. The coins of Syracuse around 400 B.C. were the world's most beautiful of all time. The early coins depicted deities only, and no living persons were allowed to have their portraits on them. The Romans showed the emperors on most of their coins. Some coins were dated beginning about 312 B.C., using letters of the Greek alphabet to indicate the year of the ruler's reign. The first dating of coins, as we know it today, was in Bohemia in 1484 on the joachimsthalers. In 1813 Napoleon, during his retreat from his defeat in Russia, issued siege money while in Poland. The coins of France showed the changes in inscriptions to the coins that finally were inscribed "Napoleon Emperor of France." Judge Sawicki showed a fine lot of coins and medals of these great men in history. Other displays included medals showing the sinking of the Lusitania 50 years ago. — FRED N. HAHLEN, Sec.

Executive Secretary's Report

Applications 54633 to 54973 as published in the May issue have been admitted to membership.

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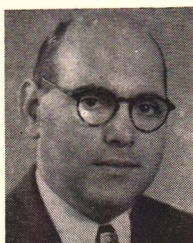
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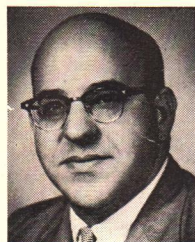
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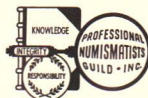
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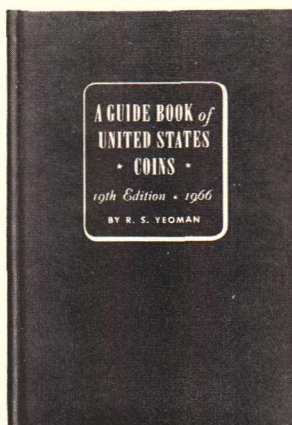
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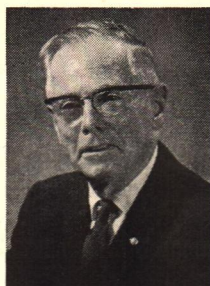
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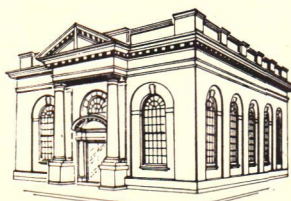
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2.

The Corporation is pleased to announce that in response to the offering for distribution of these coins, mail orders totalling some 25,000 were received in the four days May 3 through 6, 1965, and that thousands of persons sought to make their purchases at the two Israeli banks in New York on May 6, 1965.

3.

The Corporation completed on June 11 the processing and mailing of all mail orders and is returning with regrets orders received in excess of the supply. A total of 10,000 individual orders has been filled, and in order to insure the widest possible distribution, 1,500 orders were filled in part.

4.

Because of the massive over-subscription of the 1965 issue, the Corporation extends its promise to increase the 1966 allocation of coins for public distribution, thereby attempting to supply all interested collectors in the U. S. and Canada.

5.

Finally, the Corporation wishes to thank collectors for the interest they have shown in these issues. We particularly appreciate the patience, understanding and good will demonstrated by the American numismatics fraternity in the face of the administrative problems which arose during this, our first experience in the issuance and distribution of proof-like coins.

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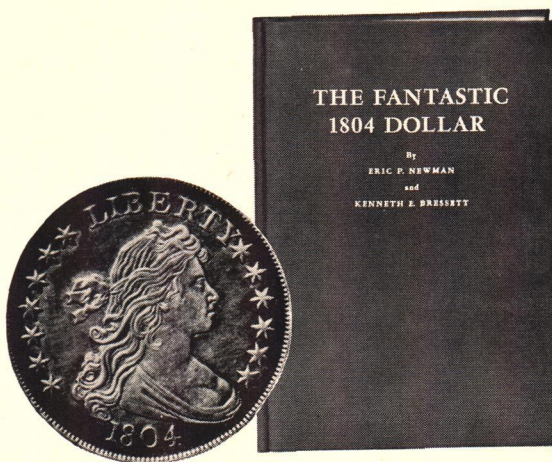
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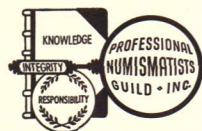
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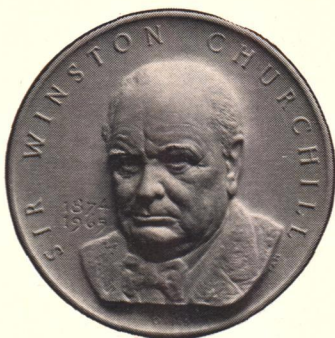
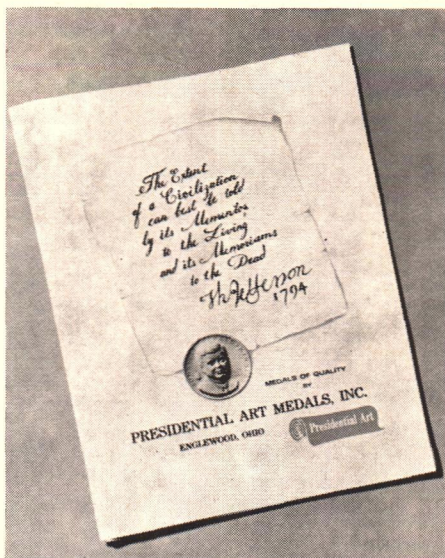
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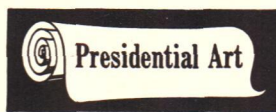
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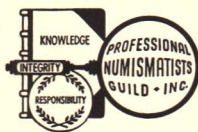
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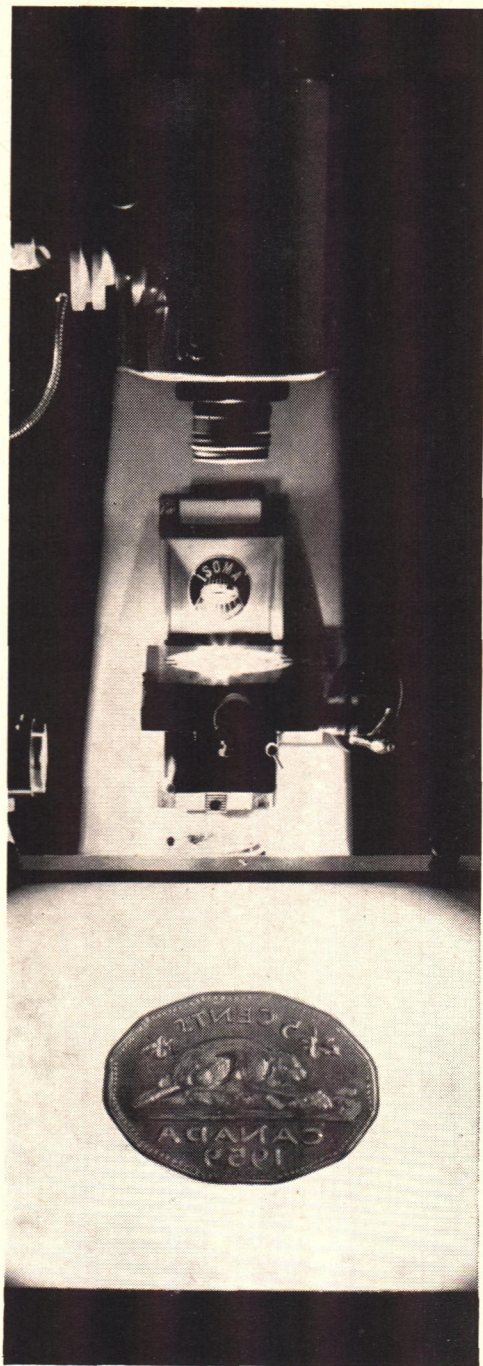
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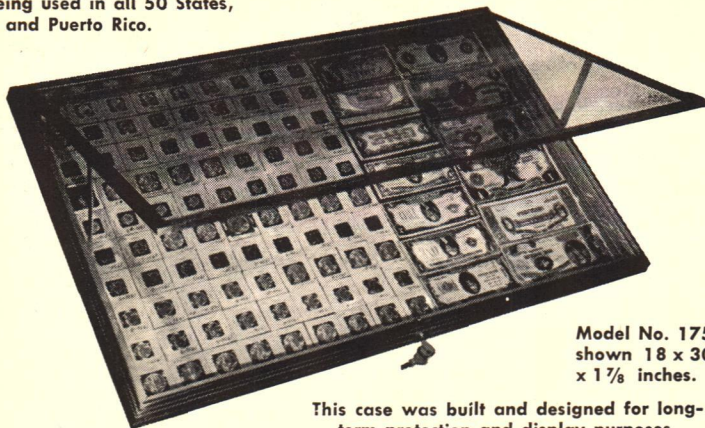
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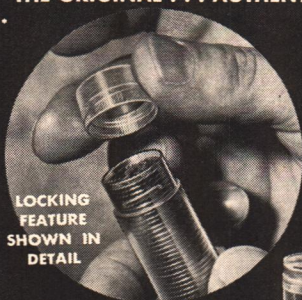
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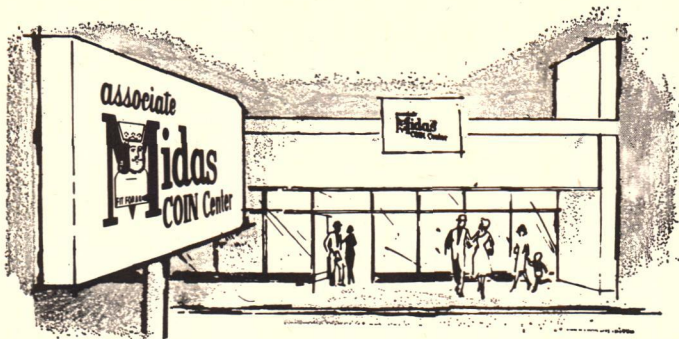
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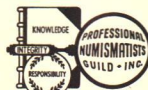
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\$20 St. Gaudens BU SELECT.....	46.00	49.00
\$20 St. Gaudens AU	44.00	48.00
\$20 Liberty BU SELECT	46.00	49.00
\$20 Liberty XF-AU	44.00	48.00
\$10 Indian BU SELECT	31.00	36.00
\$10 Indian AU-UNC.	28.00	34.00
\$10 Liberty BU SELECT	26.00	30.00
\$10 Liberty XF-AU	24.00	27.00
\$5 Indian BU SELECT	20.00	26.00
\$5 Indian XF-AU	18.00	23.00
\$5 Liberty BU SELECT	16.00	19.50
\$5 Liberty XF-AU	14.00	17.00
\$3 Gold VF	140.00	175.00
\$3 Gold XF	160.00	195.00
\$3 Gold BU	200.00	WTD
\$21½ Indian XF-AU	18.00	23.00
\$21½ Indian BU SELECT	21.00	26.00
\$21½ Liberty XF-AU	27.00	33.00
\$21½ Liberty BU SELECT	30.00	37.00
\$1 Type 1 XF-AU	27.00	33.00
\$1 Type 1 BU SELECT	30.00	36.00
\$1 Type 2 XF-AU	100.00	125.00
\$1 Type 3 XF-AU	32.00	39.00
\$1 Type 3 BU SELECT	35.00	45.00

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SELLING MORGAN SILVER DOLLARS

SINGLES & ROLLS							SINGLES & ROLLS						
	VG	F	VF	XF	BU	BU Roll		VG	F	VF	XF	BU	BU Roll
1878-P7F	...	...	1.50	2.00	3.75	69.50	1890-CC	3.50	5.50	7.50	11.00	23.00	495.00
1878-P8F	5.00	5.50	6.50	8.50	16.50	275.00	1890-O	...	...	2.00	3.00	5.25	74.50
1878-P7/8F	...	...	...	...	...	...	1890-S	2.50	3.00	3.50	4.50	9.50	190.00
Strong	...	...	11.50	13.00	17.50	345.00	1891-P	...	2.25	2.75	3.75	16.50	325.00
1878-P7/8	...	...	...	...	...	...	1891-CC	8.00	9.00	11.00	13.00	23.50	470.00
Weak	...	...	...	...	8.75	145.00	1891-O	...	...	2.00	2.50	6.75	119.50
1878-CC	2.25	3.00	3.50	4.50	9.75	195.00	1891-S	3.50	4.00	5.50	7.50	18.00	360.00
1878-S	...	...	...	...	1.95	37.50	1892	3.00	3.50	4.50	6.50	22.50	450.00
1879-P	...	...	...	...	1.90	39.50	1892-CC	8.00	10.00	17.00	29.00	47.50	950.00
1879-CC	5.75	7.35	10.25	22.50	175.00	Wtd.	1892-O	2.75	3.50	4.50	5.50	12.50	250.00
1879-O	...	...	2.00	2.50	5.50	99.50	1892-S	3.00	3.50	9.50	29.50	850.00	Wtd.
1879-S	...	...	...	...	1.75	31.50	1893-P	9.50	15.00	19.50	24.50	60.00	1200.
1880-P	...	...	2.00	2.25	2.75	44.50	1893-CC	11.50	15.50	22.50	34.50	165.00	Wtd.
1880-CC	15.00	18.50	23.50	28.50	47.50	895.00	1893-O	12.50	16.50	23.50	26.50	110.00	Wtd.
1880-O	...	...	2.00	2.25	2.75	44.50	1893-S	150.00	189.	273.	420.	Wtd.	Wtd.
1880-S	...	...	...	...	1.75	29.50	1894-P	58.00	69.50	75.00	110.	205.00	Wtd.
1881-P	...	...	1.50	2.00	3.95	79.50	1894-O	2.85	3.50	4.00	5.00	25.50	500.00
1881-CC	37.50	42.00	45.50	48.00	52.50	1075.	1894-S	3.50	6.00	10.00	14.00	48.00	860.00
1881-O	...	...	...	...	1.95	32.50	1895-O	7.50	10.00	15.50	29.00	158.00	Wtd.
1881-S	...	...	...	...	1.65	29.50	1895-S	11.00	18.00	35.00	82.50	440.00	Wtd.
1882-P	...	...	...	...	2.45	44.50	1896-P	...	...	2.00	2.50	3.65	59.50
1882-CC	5.25	9.25	10.50	13.25	23.50	445.00	1896-O	4.00	5.00	5.50	7.50	21.50	395.00
1882-O	...	...	...	...	2.25	34.50	1896-S	3.50	5.50	10.00	23.50	150.00	Wtd.
1882-S	...	...	...	...	1.75	31.50	1897-P	...	2.65	3.00	3.50	6.50	130.00
1883-P	...	...	...	...	2.25	44.50	1897-O	...	2.85	3.25	4.00	17.50	275.00
1883-CC	5.25	7.00	9.75	13.25	21.00	420.00	1897-S	1.75	3.00	3.75	4.50	9.50	190.00
1883-O	...	...	...	...	1.65	29.50	1898-P	...	...	2.25	3.00	4.50	90.00
1883-S	1.85	2.10	2.50	2.75	19.50	345.00	1898-O	...	...	...	...	3.25	54.50
1884-P	...	...	...	...	2.45	39.50	1898-S	2.95	4.00	5.50	10.00	31.50	600.00
1884-CC	23.50	25.50	27.50	28.50	29.50	465.00	1899-P	10.75	11.00	12.50	15.50	27.50	495.00
1884-O	...	...	...	...	1.65	29.50	1899-O	...	...	...	...	1.85	32.50
1884-S	1.75	2.00	2.50	4.50	29.50	530.00	1899-S	2.95	4.50	6.50	13.50	47.00	940.00
1885-P	...	...	...	...	1.65	29.50	1900-P	...	...	...	...	2.25	34.50
1885-CC	40.50	43.50	45.50	47.50	49.50	950.00	1900-O	...	...	...	...	1.85	34.50
1885-O	...	...	...	...	1.50	29.50	1900-S	2.15	3.00	4.00	10.00	20.50	400.00
1885-S	3.00	3.50	4.00	5.25	13.95	275.00	1901-P	2.60	3.00	5.50	9.00	32.50	650.00
1886-P	...	...	...	...	1.65	29.50	1901-O	...	...	...	...	1.75	34.50
1886-O	...	...	3.00	4.00	16.50	330.00	1901-S	2.00	3.00	4.00	9.50	32.50	650.00
1886-S	7.75	11.50	14.00	22.50	40.50	810.00	1902-P	...	2.50	3.00	3.75	6.50	125.00
1887-P	...	...	...	...	1.65	29.50	1902-O	...	...	...	...	1.85	32.50
1887-O	...	...	...	2.00	4.35	69.50	1902-S	8.75	10.00	14.00	20.00	46.50	915.00
1887-S	6.25	7.50	8.75	9.75	17.25	340.00	1903-P	...	3.00	4.00	5.00	7.50	150.00
1888-P	...	...	...	...	1.60	29.50	1903-O	...	...	25.00	28.00	32.50	575.00
1888-O	...	...	...	1.75	2.50	48.50	1903-S	2.75	4.25	7.00	15.00	150.00	Wtd.
1888-S	21.50	23.50	27.50	32.50	43.50	870.00	1904-P	2.85	3.50	4.00	6.00	16.25	310.00
1889-P	...	...	...	2.00	2.45	39.50	1904-O	...	...	1.75	2.20	2.60	44.50
1889-CC	54.50	63.50	80.50	115.	650.00	Wtd.	1904-S	2.25	4.50	5.50	15.50	159.00	Wtd.
1889-O	...	...	...	2.80	7.25	119.50	1921-P	...	...	...	...	1.65	29.50
1889-S	26.00	28.00	31.00	33.00	43.50	860.00	1921-O	...	...	2.25	2.95	6.95	99.50
1890-P	...	...	...	2.25	3.75	72.50	1921-S	...	...	2.25	2.95	6.95	119.50

SELLING PEACE SILVER DOLLARS

1921-P	9.95	11.50	12.75	15.50	33.50	670.00	1926-D	3.00	3.25	3.75	5.00	15.50	305.00
1922-P	...	...	...	...	1.65	28.50	1926-S	...	2.00	2.50	4.00	14.50	290.00
1922-D	...	...	2.00	2.50	6.00	120.00	1927-P	...	...	19.50	21.50	37.50	750.00
1922-S	...	...	2.00	2.50	5.75	110.00	1927-D	7.00	8.00	9.25	11.50	34.50	690.00
1923-P	...	...	...	...	1.75	29.50	1927-S	7.50	8.50	10.00	15.00	50.00	Wtd.
1923-D	...	2.25	2.30	3.00	13.00	260.00	1928-P	60.00	65.00	70.00	75.00	89.50	1700.
1923-S	...	...	2.00	2.50	9.00	175.00	1928-S	...	3.50	4.00	6.00	30.00	600.00
1924-P	...	...	...	...	4.75	79.50	1934-P	12.75	14.75	16.75	19.75	36.50	720.00
1924-S	3.85	5.00	6.75	9.25	47.00	Wtd.	1934-D	3.50	4.50	6.00	8.00	33.00	600.00
1925-P	...	...	...	1.85	3.95	79.50	1934-S	5.00	7.75	14.50	37.50	335.00	Wtd.
1925-S	3.50	4.00	4.75	5.75	22.50	450.00	1935-P	5.00	6.00	9.50	12.50	24.50	490.00
1926-P	4.95	5.50	6.50	7.50	13.50	270.00	1935-S	2.50	3.00	4.75	6.50	35.00	690.00

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1806	Good	45.00	1899-O	Good 1.50; VG	2.50		Choice BU	49.00
1806/5	VG	80.00	1899-S	AG	3.75	1918-D	F 10.50; F-VF ..	14.00
1807	Fa	27.50	1900-O	Good	1.75	1918-S	F 9.00; XF	18.50
1815	F-VF	55.00	1900-S	Good 1.25; VG ..	2.50	1919	VF	12.50
1818	VG	19.00	1901, 03, 06, 07, 12	F	1.50		Gem BU	50.00
1819	sm. 5/5 in 25 Fine	37.50	1901-O	VG	16.00	1919-D	F	40.00
1820	sm. Fine	27.50	1902-O	Good	1.75		VF-XF	70.00
1822	VF	70.00	1902-S	AG	1.75	1920	XF 8.50; BU	21.50
1824	VG 29.00; F	47.50	1903-O	Gd. 2.00; G-VG ..	3.00		Choice BU	25.00
1824/25	VG	20.00	1904-O	Good 5.00; F	13.50		Gem BU	29.00
1825	Fine	30.00	1905-S	Good 2.00; VG ..	3.25	1920-D	VG-F 18.00; F ..	21.00
1831	Fine 12.00; VF ..	19.50	1907-O	Good 1.00; VG ..	1.50	1920-S	F 11.00; VF ..	16.00
1836	Fine	11.50	1907-D	AF	2.00		Choice AU	35.00
1837	Plain edge, VF ..	35.00	1907-S	Good 1.25; VG ..	2.50	1921	F-VF 40.00; AU ..	87.50
1838	F 11.50; VF	19.00	1908-D	VG-F	1.25		Choice BU	190.00
1857-S	F-VF	45.00	1908-O	VG	1.00	1923	Choice BU	25.00
1859	XF	11.50	1909	XF	5.00		Gem BU	30.00
1869-S	G-VG	11.50	1909-O	AG 7.00; VG	15.00	1924-D	F 14.00; BU	33.50
1879	BU	42.50	1909-S	AG .75; G-VG ..	1.50	1924-S	VF	22.50
	Gem Proof-Like ..	70.00	1910-D	F-VF	3.00	1925	BU	21.50
1883	GEM PROOF	75.00	1911-D	Good	1.25		Choice BU	25.00
1888-S	Gem Proof Surface UNC. ..	45.00	1912-S	VG	4.50	1926	BU	21.50
1892-O	VG	3.75	1913-S	VG	150.00		Choice BU	25.00
1892-S	G-AG	8.00	1914	VF 2.50; XF	5.00	1926-D	BU	21.50
1893-O	G-VG	2.50	1915-S	Good 1.25; VG ..	2.75	1926-S	Good	2.25
1894-S	Good	2.25	1916	F 1.50; VF	2.50	1927	BU	21.50
1896-O	F-VF	15.00	STANDING LIBERTY				Choice BU	25.00
1896-S	Two small spots rev. Good ..	90.00	1916	Toned Choice Unc.	1000.00	1927-D	BU	57.50
1897-O	VG	9.50	1917	T-1, Choice BU ..	35.00	1928	BU 22.00; Ch. BU	26.50
1898-O	VG	3.00	1917-D	AU	29.00	1928-D	BU	21.50
1898-S	AG	1.25		Choice BU	43.00		Choice BU	25.00
			1917-S	F-VF	19.00	1928-S	BU	21.50
			1917	T-2 VF	9.50		Choice BU	25.00
				Choice BU	28.50	1929	BU 21.50; Ch. BU	25.00
				GEM BU	33.50	1929-D	BU	27.50
						1929-S	Choice BU	26.00
						1930	BU 21.50; Ch. BU	25.00

WASHINGTON

Date	P	D	S	Date	P	D	S
1932	11.00	225.00	Wtd.	1947	1.50	1.50	4.75
1934	9.50	59.50	....	1948	1.25	1.75	1.75
1935	7.00	42.50	35.00	1949	12.75	3.25	....
1936	7.00	235.00	28.50	1950	1.75	1.50	4.00
1937	7.75	11.00	59.50	1951	1.00	1.00	6.25
1938	45.00	....	27.50	1952	1.00	1.00	3.50
1939	8.00	8.50	27.50	1953	2.50	1.00	1.50
1940	8.50	36.00	6.25	1954	1.00	1.00	1.50
1941	2.50	4.50	5.50	1955	1.25	4.50	....
1942	2.75	2.50	22.50	1956	.75	.75	....
1943	1.75	2.75	5.50	1957	.50	.50	....
1944	1.50	4.00	2.75	1958	1.50	.50
1945	1.25	2.25	2.50	1959-1964	.50	.50
1946	1.25	3.75	4.50	1941-1964	Comp. BU		119.00

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1874 CAT. AT 250.00, NET	200.00
1875 CAT. AT 250.00, NET	200.00
1879 CAT. AT 85.00, NET	75.00
1880 CAT. AT 60.00, NET	50.00
1881 CAT. AT 60.00, NET	50.00
1882 CAT. AT 60.00, NET	50.00
1883 CAT. AT 55.00, NET	45.00
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1912-D	40.00	1914	25.00
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1922-D	30.00	1924	16.00
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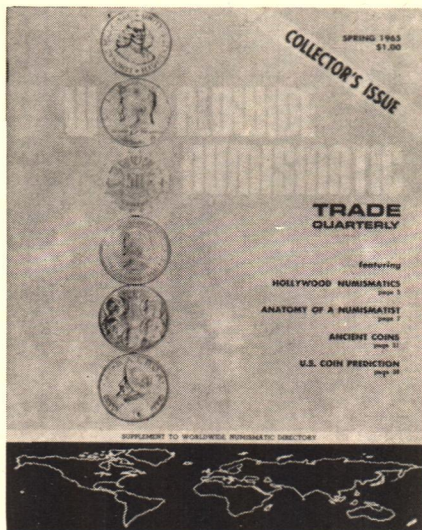
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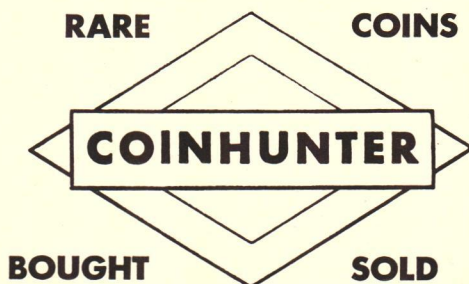
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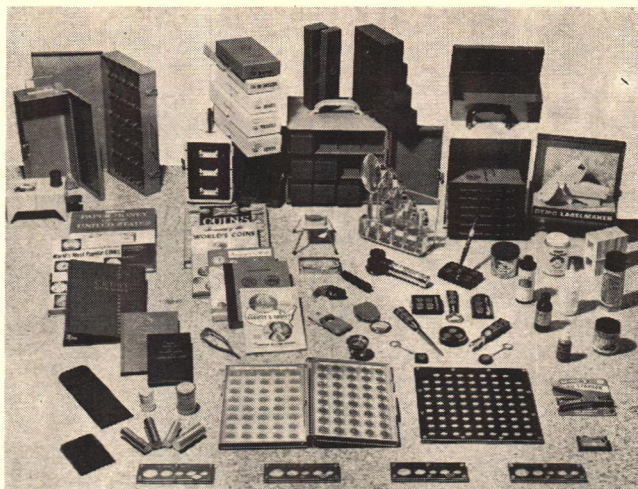
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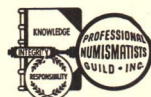
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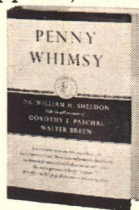
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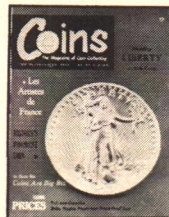
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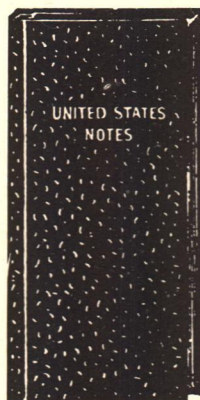


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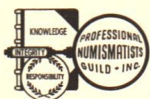
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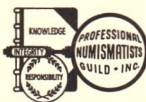
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